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## TOWN HISTORY.

The Winchester Historical Society and Its Proceedings  
—Sketch of Winchester's First and Only Military  
Company—Now the Lawrence Light Guard—Its War  
Record—Part Ixxxxvii.

[Communicated by Abijah Thompson]

WINCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
PROCEEDINGS  
George Cooke, Secretary  
PART II  
THE LAWRENCE LIGHT GUARD  
By Helen Tilden Wild  
(Read before the Medford Historical  
Society, May 19, 1902.)

In an oration delivered in Winchester,  
July 4, 1865, Hon. John A. Holmes said:  
"Of the Winchester Light Guard I can  
find no surviving trace. They and their  
guns have both gone off." The orator  
could not have made a very extensive  
search, for that organization has a lusty  
"surviving trace" which has existed over  
forty years within three miles of its first  
armory. The military company of Win-  
chester "went off" to Medford and for-  
mally the Lawrence Light Guard. The  
company was organized March 27, 1851,  
with Frederick O. Prince, afterward

The music consisted of a very few pieces,  
and, in save expense, the captain and  
first lieutenant attended the door, turn  
and turn about, rather than pay for a  
regular ticket taker. The boys were  
their own carpenters, and fixed up their  
armory with their own hands.  
At the time of Capt. Hutchins' election  
in July, 1859, the Light Guard was in a  
very prosperous condition. At the next  
muster the company appeared on the  
field with over fifty muskets, and re-  
ceived from Mr. Daniel Lawrence a  
prize of fifty dollars for so doing.  
September 15, 1860, the fire which de-  
stroyed the First Trinitarian Church  
building, seriously damaged the armory  
and the property of the company. In-  
surance made good the financial loss, and  
the company set about putting up new  
gun-racks and refurnishing, but the rooms  
were hardly in order when they were  
again visited by fire, Dec. 25, 1860, when  
the armory building, "American Hall,"  
where Small's brick block now stands,  
was totally destroyed. The company



MEDFORD SQUARE.

Mayor of Boston, as captain. It was  
named in honor of Col. William P. Win-  
chester. The armory was on Main street  
in Winchester. It was organized as Co.  
A, 5th Regt., Co. E, 5th Regt., Decem-  
ber 15, 1851, and as Co. E, 5th Regt.,  
in 1855. Captain Prince com-  
manded from 1851 to 1853; Capt. Wal-  
lace Whitney, 1853 to 1855; Capt. Wil-  
liam Pratt was commissioned as the lat-  
ter's successor, but received his discharge  
March 27, 1855. The company did not  
receive much encouragement from the  
town and citizens of Winchester, and it  
was voted to disband.  
At this time a military company was  
projected in Medford, and instead of ap-  
plying for a new charter, Medford men  
enlisted in the Winchester company with  
the purpose of reorganizing and trans-  
ferring the command to Medford. The  
name was changed to Lawrence Light  
Guard, in honor of Mr. Daniel Lawrence,  
who as long as he lived, showed his in-  
terest by substantial aid.  
Henry W. Usher was the first captain  
of the reorganized company. He served  
about a year. He was succeeded by Asa  
Law, who commanded until he was ap-  
pointed colonel. Capt. Samuel C. Law-

lost most of its property by this fire, and  
as there was no insurance, a popular sub-  
scription was started in its behalf. The  
town hall became the armory.  
The company for some time had been  
agitating the question of buying new  
uniforms, and at this time an order was  
sent to a first class Boston tailor to make  
the suits from cloth which had been  
manufactured for this special purpose at  
one of the mills at Lowell. The men im-  
mediately began to pay for them on the  
installment plan, by depositing fifty cents  
a week each, with the company treasurer.



DANIEL LAWRENCE.

rence was commissioned in 1856, and  
served until his promotion to rank of  
major in 1859. For several years there-  
after he retained an active interest in the  
Light Guard, holding the office of treas-  
urer. Captain John Hutchins was com-  
missioned in 1859.

Some of the Winchester men retained  
their membership in the company after it  
was transferred to Medford, and the first  
parade after the reorganization extended  
through both towns. A brass band was  
in attendance, and as the musicians had  
practiced together only long enough to  
learn two tunes, the music was accepta-  
ble but unimpressive. The May training  
fall parade and annual muster were the

## COL WILLIAM P. WINCHESTER.

Meanwhile they drilled in their old reg-  
imental and fatigue caps, and as there  
were not uniforms enough for all, some  
wore the caps and citizen's clothes.  
In the fall of 1860 the political sky was  
so darkened that there was increased  
activity in all military organizations. The  
Light Guard drilled twice a week. In  
February, 1861, the company was called  
upon to answer the question whether or  
not it was ready to respond to a call for  
troops at a minute's notice. At roll call  
thirty-eight men answered "yes" and  
three answered "no." Lieutenant Cham-  
bers sent his assent in writing. There  
were fourteen absentees who were  
specially interviewed. Some who had en-  
listed the previous summer for the es-  
pecial enjoyment of muster, had hardly  
considered themselves regular members  
of the company, but being too proud to  
back out in the face of danger, answered  
"yes" and were enrolled.

Company election was held February  
12, 1861, to choose a second lieutenant,  
and thereafter, until the close of the  
three months' campaign, the officers  
were: John Hutchins, captain; John G.  
Masters, 1st lieutenant; Perry Coleman,  
2nd lieutenant; and William H. Patten,



WINCHESTER LIGHT GUARD ARMORY.

chief military events of the year. The  
muster was more like a country fair than  
like the modern tour of duty. The militia  
was brigaded sometimes in one place and  
sometimes in another, until the establish-  
ment of the State camp ground at South  
Framingham.

It is recorded that on April 2, 1855, an  
article in the warrant for town meeting  
was considered relative to an appropri-  
ation for fitting up an armory for the  
Light Guard. It was laid on the table,  
where it still reposes. In the selectmen's  
records we find that the armory rent was  
paid and accounts rendered to the ad-  
jutant general. The annual rent in 1855  
was one hundred and fifty dollars. It  
was reduced to one hundred in 1858. All  
expenses beside rent had to be met by the  
company, and for that purpose assem-  
blies were held in the town hall.

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## Minstrel Show.

The Minstrel Show of the Winchester  
Boat Club was given in the Town Hall  
on Saturday evening. There was a good  
attendance including about thirty mem-  
bers of the Medford Boat Club. The  
stage was decorated with bays, paddles  
and flags. The end men and ladies were:  
Jones—Miss Evelyn Ayer, Mr. Lawrence  
Giles, Miss J. C. Charles,  
Newell; tambos—Mr. Edward Willis,  
Miss Marion Hatch, Mr. Herbert Taylor,  
Miss Eliza Twombly. The chorus was  
composed of Miss Florence Perry, Miss  
Miriam Ayer, Miss Amy Newman, Miss  
Gertrude Carter, Miss May Hyam, Miss  
Adelaide Pratt, Miss Edna Currier, Miss  
Clara Russell, Miss Bessie Brownings,  
Miss Daisy McClellan, Miss Edith Rich-  
ardson, Mr. Wm. Hyde, Mr. Guy Palmer,  
Mr. James Baldwin, Mr. James Newman,  
Mr. Philip Webster, Mr. Frank Payne,  
Mr. Clifford Talbot, Mr. Wadsworth  
Hight, Mr. Harry Miller, Mr. Wm. Ladd,  
Mr. Henry Taylor.

Mr. Henry F. Schaefer acted as inter-  
locutor. The program was as follows:

Opening Chorus

Arranged by Mr. H. J. Ballou

Bill Bailey Mr. Charles Newell

I'll Be Your Rain Boats Mr. Charles Newell

When I Think of You Mr. Guy Palmer

Just Kiss Yourself Goodbye

Home Ain't Nothin' Like This

Mr. Herbert Taylor

Under the Bamboo Tree

Miss Adelaide Pratt

Leading Lady Miss Alice Newman

Buck and Wing Dance Mr. Ralph Brown

It Time Was Money Mr. Harry Miller

Oh! Didn't She Ramble Mr. Crocker

Lady Bill

Tambling Solo Mr. Walter Allman

Finals Arranged by Mr. H. J. Ballou

As regards individual merit there was  
little choice. Miss Ayer and Mr. Allman  
were favorites with the audience and  
were, perhaps, the best. The jokes were  
rather tame the only one of marked  
brilliance being Miss Ayer's assertion  
that she was a drug store in town  
because she was "Young & Brown."

Taken all together the show was a  
marked success. Mr. Edward J. Willis  
had charge of the financial end.

The performance, as a whole, was not  
up to that of last spring, when the coach-  
ing and directing was done by one of our  
townsmen.

## Selectmen's Meeting.

December 29, 1902.

Board met at 7:30 p. m. All present.

Records of last meeting read and ap-  
proved.

Petition of N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. for  
location for 3 poles on Eaton street was  
referred to the Town Engineer.

Received letter from School Committee  
regarding work in front of Wadleigh  
schoolhouse.

Received approval of State Aid pay-  
ments for November.

On petition for layout of Woodside  
road it was voted that petitioners have  
leave to withdraw.

On petition for layout of White street,  
it was voted that petitioners have leave  
to withdraw.

On petition for layout of Wolcott road  
it was voted to recommend to the town  
for acceptance that portion of Wolcott  
road as shown on plan of Town Engineer  
dated Dec. 1902.

On petition for the layout of Euclid  
avenue it was voted that petitioners have  
leave to withdraw.

On petition for the layout of Mason  
street it was voted to recommend to the  
town for acceptance that portion of Ma-  
son street from Winthrop street to  
Highland avenue.

Issued warrants No. 103 for \$173.38 and  
No. 104 for \$173.38.

Adjourned at 10:45 p. m.

W. H. HONEY, Clerk.

In report of meeting of Dec. 22 the vote  
should read: Voted, that the use of the  
Town Hall be granted to the pupils of  
the High School for Dec. 30 free of  
charge.

Charles F. Fernald, and  
Challis in the affirmative and Mr. Carter  
in the negative.

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selections that you wish to hear? You get  
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logues on application.

## Making Socialists by the Acre.

Hamlin, the head and front of the Bos-  
ton coal monopoly, says the scarcity of  
coal in Boston is the lack of wharf  
age; the Boston Wharfinger says it is no  
such thing. Baer says it is the indepen-  
dent miners who are making all the  
trouble; the independent miners say that  
Baer lies, and also that the coal carrying  
railroads are the chief sinners. The rail-  
roads deny it. "When rogues fall out  
they people get their dues," but it doesn't  
look that way just now, although the  
rogues are getting by the ears in fine style.  
The Boston combine are selling coal  
at \$12; Portland at \$10; New York at  
\$7; and Philadelphia, \$6. This cruel  
condition of things is making Socialists  
by the acre every day in the week. The  
masses see thing pretty near straight, and  
they are beginning to make loud calls  
for government ownership and manage-  
ment of mines, railroads and some other  
industries of the country.—[Woburn Jour-  
nal.]

## Finds Way To Live Long.

The startling announcement of a Dis-  
covery that will surely lengthen life is  
made by editor O. H. Downey, of Chu-  
rubusco, Ind. "I wish to state," he  
writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery  
for Consumption is the most infallible re-  
medy that I have ever known for Coughs,  
Colds and Grip. It is invaluable to people  
with weak lungs. Having this wonder-  
ful medicine no one need dread Pneu-  
monia or Consumption. Its relief is in-  
stant and cure is sure. Grover will  
guarantee every 50c and \$1.00 bottle, and  
give trial bottles free.

## Middlesex County.

Middlesex county certainly exercises a  
strong influence in state affairs. In  
1903 the county will have:  
G. R. Jones, president of the senate.  
H. E. Turner, state auditor.  
W. D. Hawley, deputy auditor.  
Clinton White, railroad commissioner.  
G. E. Smith, harbor commissioner.  
J. J. Myers, speaker.  
But the county is large, wealthy and  
prosperous, says the Melrose Journal.  
The county furnishes the votes for the  
Republican majority.

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## The Cost of Deforestation.

There is more than local interest in  
the report of Henry Gannet, made pub-  
lic through the United States geological  
survey, upon the deforestation of the  
state of Washington. The report shows  
that in nineteen counties of the state  
west of the Cascade range 23,304  
square miles were formerly covered  
with merchantable timber, of which 12  
per cent has been cut, 17 per cent has  
been destroyed by fire and the remain-  
der is still covered with standing tim-  
ber. In Mr. Gannet's own words, "In  
less than a generation nearly one-third  
of the timber in one of the richest tim-  
ber regions of this continent has been  
destroyed, and of that destruction more  
than half has been caused by fire." In other words, nearly two  
years' supply of timber, worth in money  
about \$48,000,000, has been destroyed  
by fire.

This report was made before the re-  
cently destructive forest fires in  
Washington, Oregon, Wyoming and  
Colorado, which have added material-  
ly to the average destruction every  
year. The department of agriculture  
estimates that every year at least  
\$25,000,000 worth of real property is  
destroyed, fully 10,000,000 acres burned  
over and \$75,000,000 worth of young  
forest growths destroyed.

Such figures as these ought to make  
a deep impression upon the public  
mind and awaken a keener public sen-  
timent in favor of forest preservation.  
The property value destroyed is, how-  
ever, not the only item in the annual  
cost of deforestation. There must be  
taken into account the deterioration of  
the soil, the drying up of streams and  
water courses, the increased exposure  
of farming regions to drought, burning  
winds and cyclones and the menace to  
public health. Possibly the good citi-  
zen of New York or Ohio will be noth-  
ing out of pocket by the destruction  
of the forests of Washington or Ore-  
gon, but if he has a due appreciation of  
the richness and greatness of his coun-  
try he ought not to view with indif-  
ference the devastation of any part  
of it.

## The Work of the Public Schools.

President Eliot of Harvard may be  
right in insisting, as he did in a recent  
address before the State Teachers' as-  
sociation of Connecticut, that the  
American public school system has  
failed to accomplish its full mission.  
True, it has failed to bring about the  
millennium, nor have the higher insti-  
tutions of learning yet quite accom-  
plished this. There are undoubtedly faults  
in the public school system, though the  
American people, who regard it as  
about the best product of our civiliza-  
tion, will hardly agree with Dr. Eliot's  
sweeping indictment.

While the public schools are not do-  
ing all they might or ought toward  
strengthening the moral fiber of the  
people, they must be credited with do-  
ing their full share, with the colleges  
and universities, the pulpit and the  
press, toward the steady gain that has  
been made in public morality during  
the last two generations, and will con-  
tinue to be an important, if not the  
most important, factor in the creation  
of wholesome and patriotic public sen-  
timent.

The annual report of the United  
States commissioner of education, lately  
issued, goes a good distance toward  
answering Dr. Eliot's rather surpris-  
ing charges against the public schools.  
While statistics can seldom establish  
moral tendencies, the commissioner's  
report indicates conditions that are  
highly gratifying. It shows that for  
the last fiscal year nearly 10,000,000 pu-  
pils were enrolled in the public schools.  
The increase above 1900 was quite evi-  
dently greater than the increase in the  
number of children of school age in  
that period. The amount of money  
spent for education per capita of the  
population had risen in a single year,  
from 1901 to 1902, from \$1.64 to \$2.50,  
which is the highest amount ever spent  
for public education. The result of all  
this expenditure is seen in the further  
fact that the average duration of the  
attendance of each pupil in the schools  
of the country has increased by twen-  
ty-four and one-half days since 1870.

Whatever may be the condition of  
the dinner pail and the coal scuttle,  
there are abundant assurances of a  
full elder keg this winter. There is a  
bumper apple crop all over the coun-  
try.

Dr. Parkhurst's poor opinion of the  
New York police force is probably  
shared by the burglars who robbed a  
fur store at their leisure within 200 feet  
of a captain's headquarters.

The Cuban who lost \$500 on a "sure  
thing" American racing tip is doubt-  
less more convinced than ever that his  
island should remain independent of  
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Mr. Abijah Thompson, the town

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in the future a correct his-

tory may be written, has made ar-

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The High School Dramatics.

The usual annual dramatic en-

tertainment given by the Junior

and Senior classes of our High

school took place last Tuesday

evening. As is generally known,

this exhibition is prepared to raise

funds to help pay the expenses of

the graduating exercises, more par-

ticularly the reception which takes

place on the evening following the

graduating program. The detailed

report of this dramatic exhibition

is fully set forth in our local col-

umns and to the reading of which

we invite the attention of our

patrons. The whole affair was a

most pronounced success from

start to finish, whether considered

as a dramatic entertainment or as

a social function. The young men

and the young ladies who were di-

rectly or indirectly concerned in

bringing this affair to a successful

culmination on Tuesday evening

richly deserve the commendation

which the STAR takes pleasure in

giving them in this issue. We are

pleased to learn that the affair from

a financial point of view was en-

tirely satisfactory to all concerned.

Who Are The Rich and Who Are

The Poor?

A prominent business man in

town and a large tax payer, called

upon the Overseers of the Poor for

coal a short time ago, claiming that

he was a town pauper, so far as

coal was concerned. He claimed a

pauper was one obliged to call

upon the public for assistance when

he could not assist himself. He

had tried all means at hand and

could get no coal from Winchester

dealers at any price, therefore he

claimed to be a coal pauper and

demanded assistance from the pub-

lic. When asked if he was willing

to have his name go into the town

report as a pauper, he answered

yes, as it was nothing to be

ashamed of to be poor. He re-

ceived a half ton of town coal,

which he promptly paid for.

The question is quite an im-

portant one for the Overseers of

the Poor to decide as to whom

should be helped to town coal, but

the STAR is fully convinced that

the public, or the town, has got to

take care of all cases of destitution

among the rich as well as among

the poor. If it is a matter of

necessity, let the town buy and

sell all the coal its citizens need if

it cannot be obtained through the

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Newsy Paragraphs.

The half-dozen young ladies connected

with the Public Library were entertained

at the home of Arthur. Whitney, one

of the library trustees, on Monday

evening last, after the library was

closed. A good time was enjoyed, not the least

part of the entertainment provided being

a sleigh ride to and from Mr. Whitney's

house in Haws' booby back.

Miss Mary Norcross, of the Vines, our

town, with Colonel Curtis J. Judas

and daughter, and the Misses Niles

of Arlington all sail on the Com-

monwealth, Dominion line, Saturday the

third, for a winter in Egypt.

Wednesday afternoon Robert Stone

and two sons of Dr. L. N. Howe of Yale

street, while coasting on High street,

collided with a baker's wagon. Leonard

Howe had a leg broken and his jaw

badly bruised but the other boys escaped

injury beyond a severe shaking up. The

wagon was somewhat damaged also

most of the spokes being knocked out

of the wheels on one side.

Messrs. A. J. Edwards and N. A.

Knapp, expert bird fanciers, were

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Col. C. A. Ramsdell by the use of little

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## Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born with a weak kidney. If the child inherits too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the inflexible effect of **Swamp-Koot** is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonials received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kline & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, **Swamp-Koot**, Dr. Kline's Swamp-Koot, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



House of Swamp-Koot

M. L. Petit of France has just invented a very ingenious filter or opera glass, one that closes like an ordinary pocketbook with a clasp and occupies no more room in the pocket.

The apparatus, according to a description in *La Nature*, is composed of a flat and light frame which has the eye pieces fixed to its upper portion.



FOLDING GLASS

These eye pieces slide by means of a setting screw. On the lower portion of the frame are fixed the object glasses mounted on a pivot, which follows the line passing through their centers, thus allowing them to swing around their axes so that they may be brought to occupy a position that is perpendicular to the plane of the frame or, on the contrary, to place them in the plane of the frame, according as the observer is to use it.

Attached to the transport vessel that contains the fish are two cylinders containing air or oxygen, which is compressed in one cylinder until the pressure reaches the proper power, as shown on a gauge at the top. Before this air or oxygen is introduced into the water it is transferred to the other cylinder to reduce its pressure, flowing from this reservoir to a pipe leading to the bottom of the water tank. The air bubbles slowly from the bottom of this tank, from the perforations in the second pipe, and mingle with the water, thus giving the needed oxygen to preserve the fish fry.

The air may be compressed by means of a small pump mounted on the side of the tank and in this way enabling the attendant to reduce the cylinder as the pressure decreases.

Remedy For Smoke Nuisance.

A newly discovered remedy for the smoke nuisance that is attracting so much attention in England is the injection into the furnace of minute quantities of nitrate of soda in solution with sufficient air to insure combustion of the gases. In addition to the disappearance of smoke, there is said to be an increased efficiency of combustion to the amount of 20 per cent. The cost of this device is figured at from 6 to 8 cents per ton of coal burned.

Jan. 22 In History.

1860—Lord Chancellors, Francis B. Bacon, born at St. Albans, died 1826.

1860—John Winthrop, colonial governor of Massachusetts, born in Suffolk, England; died in Boston 1826. John Winthrop was born to wealth and influence in England. He was active in public life and in a position to encourage the Puritan settlement in America. When the Massachusetts colony resolved to transfer to America the whole government of its colonial enterprises, Winthrop was appointed leader and governor.

1786—George Gordon Noel Byron (lord Byron) born; died 1824.

1826—George D. Prentiss, famous wit and for 40 years editor of Louisville Journal, died in Louisville; born in Preston, Conn., 1802.

1826—Paul Gustave Doré, the prolific and famous French painter, died in Paris; born 1832.

1826—Constance Fenimore Woolson, grand-niece of Fenimore Cooper and an author of note, died at Nice, France, born 1846.

1826—Queen Victoria, crowned 1838, died at Osborne palace, born 1819.

Jan. 23 In History.

1806—William Pitt, the younger, British statesman, died; born 1759. The talented son of the great Chatham entered parliament at the age of 22. Two years later he became prime minister and had to contend against Fox, Burke, North and Sheridan. Being defeated in parliament, he resigned the post with triumph and soon became the most powerful commoner in England. He died in 1806, and his premature death was attributed to vexation over the failure of negotiations against Napoleon and the victories of the French in the Austro-Turkish campaign.

1813—George Clymer, "signer" for Pennsylvania, died at Morristown, Pa.; born in Philadelphia 1739.

1836—Rev. Phillips Brooks, the celebrated preacher and Episcopal bishop of Massachusetts, died in Boston; born 1836.

1867—General Stephen V. Benet, U. S. A., retired, died in New York; born 1801.

1867—General Henry O. Thomas, a Federal commander, died at Guthrie, Okla.

1867—British attacked and captured the Boer position on Spion Kop.

Jan. 24 In History.

1783—Benjamin Lincoln, American Revolutionary War general, born in Lincoln, Mass.; died 1843.

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## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON III, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JAN. 18.

Text of the Lesson, Acts xvii, 1-12.

Memory Verse, 2-4—Golden Text.

Memory Verse, 2-4—Commentary Prepared by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. And Paul, as his manner was, went in unto them, and three Sabbath days reasoned with them out of the Scriptures.

From Philippi they had traveled about 100 miles, probably spending a night each at Amphipolis and Apollonia, as that would make each day's journey about thirty or thirty-five miles, and now at Thessalonica there is a great center, for Paul says of the believers there, "From you sounded out the word of the Lord in Macedonia and Achaia" (I Thess. 1, 8). The first question Paul asked the Lord Jesus after he knew him as such seems to have been the motto of his whole life—Lord, what wilt thou have me to do? (Acts ix, 6). As our Lord after His resurrection expounded in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself and opened their understanding that they might understand the Scriptures, Luke xxiv, 27, 45, so Paul's habit was to preach the kingdom of God and teach the things which concern the Lord Jesus Christ both out of the law of Moses and out of the prophets (Acts xviii, 23, 31).

2. Opening and alleging that Christ must needs have suffered and risen again, and that he was the first to rise from the dead, and that this Jesus whom I preach unto you is Christ.

So also taught our Lord Himself in Luke xiv, 25, 26, after His resurrection as well as in all His earthly ministry (Matt. xvi, 21; xlvii, 23; xx, 19). A sample of Paul's preaching to those who knew the Scriptures, the Jews, is found in his discourse at Antioch in Pisidia, recorded in Acts xvi, 14-19, in which he summarizes Exodus, Numbers, Joshua, Judges and Samuel and quotes from Ps. ii and xvi and Isa. lv. I think perhaps he would sometimes go back to Gen. iii, 15, 21, and show how all the tabernacle ritual and Exodus and Leviticus was fulfilled in Jesus of Nazareth, and that while the first part of Isa. lvi had been fulfilled in His sufferings, the last part and all other prophecy would be as truly fulfilled.

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## WOMEN ENSLAVED.

Men's Servitude Abolished, but Their Mothers Still Considered Inferior.

It used to be declared that woman was mentally and physically inferior:

that her office was exclusively in the home; that she would ruin the beauty of her sex by entering man's realm; that nature had set woman her bounds, which she must not pass, and that her position from the beginning proved the will of God regarding her.

It always amazes me that such views could have prevailed and that they linger to this day. Men used them in regard to slavery, they used them in regard to the civil rights of the common citizens, and they have used them about every social abuse in the ages gone. Wherever any one or any body of people were in subjection, there the folks on top declared: "You are not fit to rule yourselves. You are down, and that proves that God meant you to be down. You are better off than if you were free."

I do not ask: Should women do this or that? Is it wise for them to risk that or, like men? I simply insist upon freedom for each life. Don't restrain it. Don't forbid it. Let it have a large liberty, and then, being unhindered, it can learn for itself what it can do and cannot do. Let it make mistakes. Let it suffer and learn of suffering. Let it be silly or wise, strong or feeble, capable or incapable. All that is its own affair, for weal or woe. But there is the essential truth—take care that we are not its slaves. Take care that we do not lay a force upon it which is cruel and false. Give it perfect liberty to be its best self. We have no right to limit, no right to build fences, no right to thrust any creature in a cage and bid it smile and be content. Liberty and then experience—these.

REV. W. H. MORGAN.

DOMESTIC IMPERIALISM.

Half-Car Population Taxed and Governed Without Representation.

We have heard much about "imperialism" during the past few years. As the word is usually applied it means the governing of alien races or peoples against their will, but in a larger sense it means despotism in all its phases.

Imperialism is nothing new. Nor is its exercise over the Filipino, the Porto Rican or the Hawaiian anything more than an application of our existing institutions in a wider field. In every state and nation from time immemorial it has governed the relation of the sexes. Many of the men who call themselves "anti-imperialists" and denounce most vigorously the domination of alien races abroad have no word of censure for similar control of one-half of our citizens at home. To deny an ignorant Filipino a voice in the management of his own affairs is tyranny; to deny the wives and mothers of Boston a vote on domestic legislation is a matter of course. Until within six months the enlightened commonwealth of Massachusetts deprived every married mother of any legal right to the care and custody of her minor children so long as she lived with her husband, and that is a vote on domestic legislation.

Under the Massachusetts law, a husband and attempted suicide of our legislature a reluctant concession of a woman's legal right to a share in the control of her own children. Yet a woman is a citizen of the United States and of the state in which she resides.

Taken as a general fact today, all over the world, women are living under domestic imperialism, and in the vast majority of cases they make no audible protest. But there never can be a true republic until domestic imperialism ceases to exist and women have their rightful place beside man in the home and in society, in church and state and nation—Henry B. Blackwell in Woman's Journal.

A GAIN TO A STATE.

Great Results Accomplished by the Granting of Woman Suffrage.

Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, one of the most powerful Republican speakers, made a thorough canvass of Idaho during the recent campaign and has returned to her home in Washington full of enthusiasm for the practical results of woman suffrage. In a letter to a friend she says:

"The work of the women surpassed all my expectations. The glow of surprise, the excitement of the novelty, have somewhat passed. The women who have been called to the polls have shown a wisdom and intelligence that I had not expected. They have received good. They are better women, better wives and mothers, better neighbors and friends. One of them said to me: 'I did not want to vote, but when I found myself the ballot I did not dare shrink the responsibility. I know I have helped a great many women to understand their duty, and I know I am a stronger woman for it. I used to think only of myself, my husband, my children, my home, my servants, my club. Now every individual possesses an interest for the good of the whole. That I was. Oh, why cannot men see the justice of it, the truthfulness of it? This last campaign opened up the whole question to me more fully than ever before. The women of Idaho are calm, well poised and strong. The whole social atmosphere is clear and bracing. I feel like dropping everything else and giving my whole time to getting the suffrage for other women.'"

12. These were more noble than those of the men, in that they were not selfish and they were not narrow.

The Thessalonians did well, for they received the word of the Holy Ghost, and they received it not as the word of men, but as it is in truth, the word of God, which effectually worketh in us and believeth (I Thess. 1, 6; 1, 12). The Thessalonians, however, excelled in the matter of searching the Scriptures after the truths taught by the apostles were really so. The believers included both men and women, and of the latter many honorable men and women of Antioch in Pisidia who expelled Paul and Barnabas from their synagogues. Some choose life and some death, but in each case the faithful preacher is unto God a sweet savor of Christ (I Cor. ii, 15).

10. If all who receive the word with readiness of mind, like the Bereans, would, like them, become searchers of the Scriptures, we would have many more teachers of the word, but it is now even as it was long ago, for when for the time being ought to be taught they have need that one teach them again the first principles of the oracles of God (Heb. v, 12).

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## TOWN HISTORY.

The Winchester Historical Society and its Proceedings—Wildwood Cemetery—Some Points of Interest in its History—Some of the More Noticeable Monuments, and of the Persons Buried There—Pictures of the Men who have had Charge of the Cemetery—Part C.

[Communicated by Abijah Thompson]

WINCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
PROCEEDINGS  
George Cooke, Secretary

PART C  
WILDWOOD CEMETERY  
By Theodore P. Wilson.

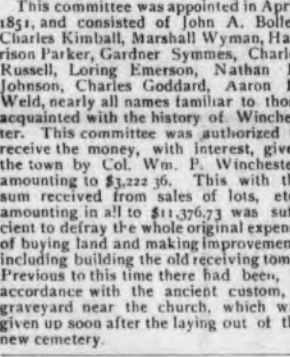
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Wildwood, a beautiful name, most appropriate for a resting-place of the dead, and most fitting for our cemetery, is its splendid trees and unsurpassed natural beauty. Situated on the western slope of Wedge Pond, with the greatest diversity of place possible to be obtained in this part of the country, Winchester is indeed fortunate in the selection made by the first committee which considered the subject of securing land for a town cemetery.



SAMUEL STEELE RICHARDSON.  
Appointed 1851. Service preliminary.

Voted to raise by nomination at large, a committee of five, to inquire into and report at some future meeting, in relation to the subject of a cemetery. Chose Samuel S. Richardson, John A. Bolles, Charles Kimball, Marshall Wyman, Harrison Parker, Gardner Symmes, Charles Russell, Loring Emerson, Nathan B. Johnson, Charles Goddard, Aaron D. Weld, nearly all names familiar to those acquainted with the history of Winchester. This committee was authorized to receive the money, with interest, given by town by Col. Wm. F. Winchester, amounting to \$3,222.35. This with the sum received from sales of lots, etc., amounting in all to \$11,376.73 was sufficient to defray the whole original expense of buying land and making improvements including building the old receiving tomb. Previous to this time there had been, in accordance with the ancient custom, a graveyard near the church, which was given up soon after the laying out of the new cemetery.



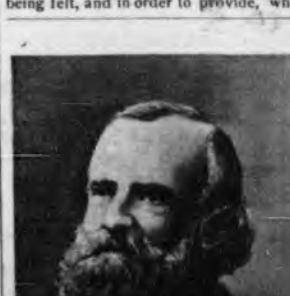
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN THOMPSON.  
Appointed 1851. Service preliminary.

On September 15, 1851, the committee reported that the land had been purchased and partially laid out. A Cemetery Committee of five, the same number that has composed it ever since, was then constituted. It was composed of Messrs. Bolles, Kimball, Parker, Weld and Clark of the original committee. September 15, 1852, at one in the afternoon, the consecration took place, the exercises being conducted by the well known clergymen, Rev. Reuben T. Robinson, Rev. Rollin N. Neale, D. D., and Rev. N. A. Reed. Two original hymns written for the occasion by F. A. Durivage and Mrs. H. J. Lewis were sung.



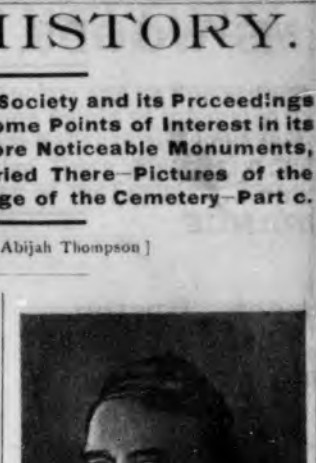
CHARLES RUSSELL.  
Elected 1851. In service 1 year.

Since that time, by the patient labor and unremitting care of a series of public spirited men, the cemetery has grown more beautiful year by year. In 1886, the need of increased area being felt, and in order to provide, while



MARSHALL WYMAN.  
Elected 1851. In service 1 year.

place for their last sleep. It would almost seem that Winchester might claim that her foremost citizens should be buried within her limits. Among these we may mention the names of Oliver R. Clark, prominent during the War of the Rebellion, a time when it required men of marked ability and firmness to fill the office; Joseph H. Tyler, prominent in all public matters, respected and looked up to by everyone; Frederick Winsor, so much beloved, the model physician; and Solomon L. Fletcher, unique but highly respected citizen. Turning to the right at the entrance

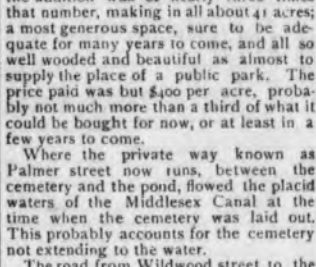


HARRISON PARKER.  
Elected 1851. In service 6 years.

and proceeding around the little lake, we come to the modest stone which marks the resting place of Mial Cushman, for so many years Collector of Taxes. Then we notice the well graded lot of James F. Desinell with its tall handsome monument of Scotch granite. Although erected some years ago the stone looks as if just from the workman's hands.

Then a handsome marble monument by the family of James Newman, the florist. The next lot is the resting-place of Sherborn T. Sashorn, who may be called the father of the cemetery, he having served for 20 years on the committee, beginning in 1861, and having done more than any other one man to make Wildwood what it is today.

In the rear of these lots, on the slope towards the Dell are seen two handsome



NATHAN BROOKS JOHNSON.  
Elected 1851. In service 1 year.

monuments of moderate size, one erected by Capt. T. F. West, the other by Stillman Richardson. On the latter is inscribed the name, long familiar to Winchester people, of Zachariah Richardson. Opposite the entrance, across the Dell is a massive obelisk-like monument to the memory of Cyrus Patch, for many years a well known resident of Winchester. Enmons Hamlin, who did so much for the musical world, is laid at rest beneath an elaborate and beautiful structure of sarcophagus pattern.



CHARLES KIMBALL.  
Elected 1851. In service 9 years.

The entrance is made most attractive by a triangular plot of grass with beautiful flower beds. In front of the entrance is a beautiful little pond, with a fountain in the form of a swan, made of zinc, and placed here some dozen years ago, at the cost of about \$75. In the water are gold fish and the ground rises from the water in beautiful grassy terraces. The driveways and paths are all finely made and kept in the best of order. All the paths are named, and not only in the old but also throughout the new part, elaborate plans have been made, the lots all numbered, and all the roads and paths accurately and scientifically laid out. There are 1,568 numbered lots on the plan of the entire cemetery.



AARON D. WELD.  
Elected 1851. In service 11 years.

memory of men who were very different in many ways, but both good men and true, and both remembered as old landmarks in days gone by—Sumner Richardson and Deacon Zebadiah Abbott. Very conspicuous is the handsome and massive monument of red and white granite to the memory of Josiah F. Stone, who received nearly all the offices in the gift of the people of Winchester, including that of Mayor, representative to the General Court. Next is noticed the rough hewn granite block inscribed with the name familiar to everyone in Winchester up to the time of his death—John Reed Cobb.



CHARLES RUSSELL.  
Elected 1851. In service 1 year.

Next is noticed the rough hewn granite block inscribed with the name familiar to everyone in Winchester up to the time of his death—John Reed Cobb. David Youngman, as is recorded upon the monument erected by him, was the first Town Clerk of Winchester. Close at hand is the resting place of James Houston, one of the most substantial and reliable men who ever lived in this town. Charles Pressey, an artist and man of great refinement, is buried near by. On the lot of James C. Johnson is a very beautiful figure of Hope, of artistic design, one of the most classical monuments in the cemetery. Next is noticed the resting

### "The World We Live In."

Criticism on a Winchester book recently added to the Public Library—"The World We Live In" by Edwin A. Brackett.

This is not a large book, but you are all familiar with that old saying, "good things are used up in small packages," and the amount of good in "The World We Live In," is out of all proportion to the size of the work.

A preface, with an introduction and five essays, none of them long, with brief, all too brief, poems, are contained in the work, but they touch or suggest all the more vital questions of life. The first essay is scientific and has to do with some of the accepted theories of evolution.

Herein the author is too brief to prove any of his own statements. He denies the truth of probabilities of many statements of the lesser lights of the modern scientific galaxy; he is in thorough accord with the higher thought of the master minds and in his deduction that "The search after the unknown is like the game of blind-man's bluff, the chances are that the wrong fellow is caught."

"Science is not satisfied with the splendid work they had done, attempted to form a theory of their own," is such as would naturally follow the careful perusal of Spencer's discussion of the matter in first principles. But not in the scientific work of any can the beauty of the mind appear. Clearness is the highest quality to be desired or displayed in such writing, but when the theme is humanity, when the heart throbs are listened to and the bright eye questioned with a glance, when the fellowship of mortals or our communion with the dearest relations the man to express itself in its vital relations with its fellows for with nature, then the facile pen tells for the larger heart how it seems and feels and gives.

Pure Brahmanism breathes in "I am all in all." "I am the light that lifts the darkness." "I am the bird that calls all day to its mate." "I am the mother watching her babe." "I am the war, the pestilence, the famine that sweeps the earth."

These brief excerpts tell you something of the scope, though they convey but slight idea of the beauty of this prose poem. "To be in close sympathy with nature, to see and realize her wonderful beauty; to be at oneness with her marvelous manifestations, is the highest possible attainment."

A man that could believe and pen that thought of such a man as you would expect to tell thoroughly, grandly of storm and calm, and here your expectations are more than realized.

Of course everyone admired Olive Schreiner's "Search for Truth." We are One is such a search told entertainingly, with the added value and charm imparted to such stories by a sweet affectional human interest.

Already I have exceeded in matter the space allotted to me for this review, but I cannot close. If you, reader, value such works, as who does not, you will agree with me that "The World We Live In" is a valued addition to your library. There is a fine portrait of the author, the book is bound in a modest green, with a gold title. I nearly forgot to mention one of the sketches entitled, "The Unknown." It will interest you if you are a Spiritualist, baffle you if you are not one.

The keynote of the work, as of life, is well expressed by the following from one of the poems.

"We grope about and aimless move  
Until our hearts are filled with love.  
Then comes the dawn, the rosy light  
That lifts the shadows of the night.  
Who seeks to climb some other way  
Will tarry long, will go astray.  
For love alone can point the way."

ARTHUR C. SMITH.

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No excuse is given the public for the advance and we suppose none need be given. The public long since learned the folly of protesting against higher prices from these great corporations. They simply submit to them because there is no remedy. If the express business of the country was in the control of the government, as is the mail traffic, how long would the people submit to an advance in price? The tendency of government control is lower prices to the masses, while that of corporations is a steady advance.

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**Mrs. Ann Creamer.**  
Mrs. Ann, wife of Dennis Creamer, passed away last Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock at her home near the Stoneham, Winchester line, aged 73 years. She leaves a son John, two daughters, Mary and Teresa, two grandchildren, Mabel and Thomas McGarrity.

She had elected the following officers: President, Herbert Bridges; vice-president, Miss Evelyn Parker; secretary, Miss Emma Berry; treasurer, Bernard M. Berry; committees—prayer meeting, Sidney Snow; missionary, Miss Daile MacLellan; lookout, Leonard O. Waters; social Miss Bessie L. Berry; music, Miss Florence Plummer; flower, Miss Bessie Kelley.

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The soldier's widow cuts a rather sorry figure in the latest expose of land grabbing from the government. Under the homestead laws the widow of a soldier is permitted to avail herself of a gift of 100 acres of land from the government without living on the property. So the big ranchmen have organized a systematic search of the country for these war widows, and when found they have been induced to go west, make an entry at a government land office, sign several papers, receive a handsome sum of money and return home.

In due season, by virtue of the entry she has made and the papers she has signed, the land allotted to her becomes the property of those who put up the job. Of course, it is all a barefaced swindle; but, womanlike, the war widow is serenely unconscious that she is being used as an instrument. She gets a pleasant trip, with all expenses paid, and a bonus besides. She is told that everything is all right, that she is simply selling her right to a homestead, and her conscience is thus satisfied.

Meanwhile this sort of game has been going on at the rate of something like 500 entries a month, and the gentlemen have been doing a correspondingly rushing business. The soldier's widow is doubtless in most cases innocent of any wrongdoing and perhaps ought not to be censured, but some means ought to be speedily devised to bring the land grabbers to justice.

Upon investigation Lady Henry Somerset has come to the conclusion that we are rather temperate people as compared to those of the United Kingdom. It has been suspected all along that Lady Henry was making a mistake in going so far away from home to do her missionary work.

The Duke of Marlborough having decided to forgive the Boers, the burghers should be magnanimous enough to reciprocate and forgive the duke the terrible fright he gave them when he slid down the kopje with his light house keeping outfit.

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## INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS

At present there are four districts in Turkey in which any one who so desires may enter into the business of meerschaum mining simply by paying the Ottoman government the sum demanded for a license—namely, 5 piasters. These districts are Sari-Sou, Sepehli, Gelikli and Menkon. The 5,000 miners already engaged in this industry are Kurds and Persians, and all of them work according to the most primitive methods. They are formed into gangs composed of fifteen men at the most under the authority of a section boss.

The first work done, says the Revue Scientifique, consists of sinking a well until the miners come to a reddish clay soil, which indicates the presence of the meerschaum, this latter being found at a depth varying from ten to 200 feet. The meerschaum appears in the form of round lumps, more or less irregular in form, the size of which rarely exceeds thirty or forty cubic centimeters and the usual size of which is about that of an apple or a walnut.

When they reach the bed, the miners dig horizontal galleries through the red clay, and as there is no direction or plan, the galleries frequently meet each other. The work is carried on night and day by means of petroleum lamps, the blocks of meerschaum being brought to the surface still imbedded in their matrix. On the weekly sale day the workers meet and sell their goods to the "tudeks" or pipe manufacturers of Eskikehir. The blocks are then taken to the town and washed, after which they are cut into suitable pieces while the matter is still very soft. Sorting and classing are then proceeded with, and the "tudeks" in their turn sell their purchases to the larger dealers, who export the meerschaum, carefully enveloped in cotton wadding.

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## AUTO MOBILE

NOTE

One of the essential conditions for the speeding of automobiles at night is the proper lighting of the road. Ordinary auto lanterns are inadequate, and therefore headlights which throw bright rays in advance of the vehicle must be used. Acetylene is well adapted for obtaining a brilliant light. It is by no means uncommon to see carriages provided with two searchlights, placed at the right and at the left of the vehicle. Such lights, says a writer in the Scientific American, should have a common generator.

The generator of the Biorlet light may be regarded as a typical example of the generators usually employed. It

requires the employment of a special chemical compound of carbide and glass, which is called by its inventors, Messrs. Letang and Serpette, "acetylene." The compound has the great advantage over ordinary carbide of being less sensitive to moisture and of not leaving any solid residue. In order to introduce it into the lantern without difficulty the generator is made in the form of a cylinder which slips into the receptacle behind the reflector when the cover of the searchlight has been raised.

The generator is charged by unscrewing the cover, B. When this is lifted, it draws with it the cylinder, C, which contains the basket that holds the carbide. The bottom of the basket is perforated and furnished with vertical partitions, S, which prevent the carbide from packing too solidly and facilitate the access of the water. The generator cylinder terminates on top in a gas conducting tube, A, into which is introduced a tin cartridge containing ordinary carbide between two plugs of wadding and which serves as a purifier. The gas is obliged to pass through this tube before escaping by the cock, R, and in so doing it is purified. The water is poured into the cylinder, E, up to the proper level, after which the generator cylinder is put in place and the cover screwed on.

Temperature of Insects.

A Russian naturalist has made a series of measurements by a thermo electric method of the temperature of insects. The temperature of the human body is essentially the same in the trochanter and in the venter zones. Un-

der usual conditions the temperature of an insect rises with that of the surrounding air, only more slowly. When the insect begins to move, its temperature rises, and it continues to rise until the motion ceases. At 102.2 F. heat partly ceases, in which case, however, as the temperature falls. Below 31 F. insects are without motion. For one species, *Saturia pyri*, the highest temperature compatible with life is at 115 degrees F. This is about the temperature that is fatal to vegetable life.

Jan. 25 In History.

1720—Robert Burns, poet, born near Ayr, died 1796.  
1772—James Hogg, "Strickland Shepherd," poet, born; died 1835.  
1791—George Elwyn, famous English wit, died; born 1724.  
1812—James Macpherson, Scottish poet and writer, died; born 1736.  
1820—The centenary of Robert Burns' birth celebrated throughout Scotland and by a "Burns festival" at the Crystal Palace, London.  
1874—Duke de Broglie, French statesman and colleague of Guizot, died; born 1806.  
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Jan. 26 In History.

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1822—Dr. Edward Jenner, inventor of vaccination, died; born 1753.  
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Admiral Dewey, who is now in command of the fleet in Carlsbad waters, may be expected to cut out some very rapid work for the captains before the maneuvers are over.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., continues to preach upon the uselessness of riches. Apparently the young man is trying to be as funny as he knows how.

Minister W., having passed a large part of his time in asking questions, is now likely to be subjected to the ordeal of answering some.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON IV, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JAN. 25.

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## REMARKABLE LAKE.

A Body of Water With a Roof of Salt.

A lake with a salt roof isn't frozen salt, and it isn't underground. On the contrary, this remarkable lake may be seen at any time during the year, fully exposed, being even at its best when the sun is shining directly upon it. This wonderful body of water is one of the saltiest of the salt lakes and is situated near Obozersk, Siberia. The lake is nine miles wide and seventeen long and within the memory of man was not entirely roofed over by the salt deposit. Originally, evaporation played the most prominent part in coating the lake over with salt, but at the present time the salt springs which surround it are adding fast to the thickness of the crust.

In the long ago rapid evaporation of the lake's waters left great salt crystals floating on the surface. In course of time these cakes together. Thus the waters were finally entirely covered. In 1878 the lake was an underground outlet into the river Ob, which lowered its surface about three feet. The salt crust was so thick, however, that it retained its old level and now presents the curious spectacle of a salt roofed lake. The salt crust increases six inches in thickness every year. The many islands with which the lake is studded are said to act as braces and to help keep the arched salt crust in position.

The Venezuelan idea of the Monroe doctrine seems to be that Uncle Sam is sponsor for South American delinquency in the payment of just obligations. The sooner the Venezuelans get this notion out of their heads the better for them.

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Winchester Stands Eighth.

Of the three hundred and twenty towns in Massachusetts the following are the first ten in valuation: Brookline, Milton, Watertown, Hyde Park, Roxbury, Dedham, Wellesley, Winchester, Arlington, Manchester.

End of the Coal Famine.

The coal famine can now be said to be practically over. Removing the duty, and the investigations now going on by Congress, State legislatures and cities all over the country are bringing the operators and speculators to their senses.

"Men of Affairs and Capacity"

for two vacancies on the Board of Selectmen.

As the readers of our last week's issue know, Mr. Edgar J. Rich, in a courteous letter to the STAR declines, for good reasons to allow the use of his name at the caucus for one of the vacancies on the Board of Selectmen. Our readers will confirm our regret that Mr. Rich declines the use of his name. We can only console ourselves with the thought that he will continue to serve the town as its moderator for the next year.

Don't Abolish the Caucus.

There appears to be a movement on foot to do away with the caucus for town officers and rely entirely on candidates having their names placed on the ballot through the instrumentality of nomination papers.

There is little, in our judgment, that can be said in favor of this radical change, although this was the method of last year. We believe that it would prove a pretty effective bar to many of the most desirable citizens allowing their names to be used for office where there was a prospect of a very general scramble at the polls.

Citizens will have to make a request for the caucus themselves, as the Town Clerk cannot do so as heretofore, and furthermore the request should be made early next month.

On looking the matter up we find that the latest date on which a caucus can be called is Feb. 13. Therefore it is necessary for those who believe in the caucus to make an immediate move toward calling one.

A Word for Mr. John H. Carter.

The columns of the STAR are always open for communications of any correspondent provided his statements are made in proper language, in good faith, and with his own signature attached. In following out this policy, we occasionally publish such communications and present them to our readers for what they are worth. The letter which we print in another column, and which reflects the opinion of a very respectable but somewhat illogical and whimsical citizen, really calls for passing comment. We intend to be fair and square about this matter.

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SCALES, THE JEWELER,

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Newsy Paragraphs.

Mr. J. A. Dunsell's house on Washington street near Cross was broken into last Friday night. The robbers gained entrance by a back window which they pried open with a chisel and bent the lock nearly out of its socket.

The sewer department men tried a new steel pipe for removing roots from the sewer pipe last Saturday, with success. At some places on the line of the sewer the pipe was found to be clogged.

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# Basket Ball.

WINCHESTER V. M. C. A. JUN.—ST. CHERSEA CRESCENTS.—8.

The Chelsea Crescents were an easy prey for the Winchester V. M. C. A. Jr. basketball team last Saturday evening. The visitors were outplayed at every point. It was not until the second period that they scored at all but that did not prevent the home team from scoring twenty-six points.

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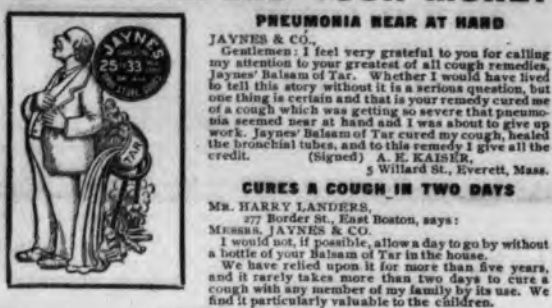








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In my hand no price I bring  
Simply to thy Cross I cling.  
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—MOTHER—



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Jonathan Locke. Born March 26, 1796. Died March 27, 1796. Died Oct. 3, 1885. At Evening time it shall be light.

—LOCKE—  
J. Wesson Clark. Died June 15, 1867. Aged 31 years.

Elizabeth, wife of James Bridge. Died Oct. 16, 1853. Aet. 44 years.

Blest are they who look on graves  
And still believe none dead.

In Memory of Amos B. Porter. Died Sept. 23, 1866. Aged 63 years, 3 months.

In Memory of Lucinda Alden, wife of David Alden. Died May 16, 1846. Aged 37 years.

Thy Memory shall live  
While worth has friends  
Or Virtue is Admired.

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William M. Rand. Died July 3, 1889. Aged 75 years 3 months and 20 days.

Lizzie F. Bailey. 1835 to 1884.  
Mary L. Bailey. 1835 to 1884.  
Alma A. Bailey. 1835 to 1884.  
Henry F. Bailey. 1835 to 1884.  
John Hutchinson. Died June 19, 1819. Aet. 72.

Silent, alas! is he for whom we mourn  
Gone to the land from whence there's no return  
Whilst o'er his grave we shed the plaintive tear.  
Forgive the wish that would have kept him here.

Edward Cornell. Died Aug. 16, 1853. Aged 49 years.

Thomas T. Law. Died Nov. 27, 1858. Aet. 32 years.

He rests in his labors.  
In Memory of James H. Bridge, M. D. Eldest son of James H. & Elizabeth G. Bridge. Who died Nov. 9, 1861. Aged 56 years.

May he rest in peace.  
Zacharia Richardson 1827 to 1890.  
Percis C. Richardson. 1829 to 1889.  
Captain John Cutler. Died August 13, 1884. Aged 47.

Mrs. Mary Wife of Captain John Cutler. Died Feb. 27, 1848. Aet. 75 years.

—LEACH—  
A copy of the recently published book by Dr. Leach, of the above title has been received at this office.

Dr. Leach has certainly given the world an unique character in Jeddiah Bascomb. His old-fashioned whole-souled religion is certainly refreshing in these days of many denominations. How seldom we meet a man of this sort, whose deep religious feeling is not in opposition to his common sense judgment.

The plot of the story is very simple giving a pleasing picture of quiet country life.

The graphic description of commencement at Amherst must prove doubly interesting to the students of that college, who, no doubt, can recall a few if not more of the students who possess the noble qualities and wonderful ability of Frank Sawyer, the character around which the story centres.

On the whole, Jeddiah Bascomb is a whole-some, interesting, amusing and holds much that is attractive to young and old.

There will be a special meeting of The Fortnightly, Monday, Feb. 16, at 3 p. m., to revise the constitution and act on any other necessary business.

Next Monday afternoon, Feb. 9, there will be a lecture by Miss Annie Peck, the famous mountain climber, on "Ascent of the Matterhorn." The afternoon will be in charge of the Society on History and Travel, Mrs. Marion Atwood, chairman. This lecture should bring out every member of the club.

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# **Challenge Accepted.**

The following challenge has been received by the ping pong team of the local Y. M. C. A., having been defeated by Winchester in two matches, each by the score of 5 to 4, would like to try their hand again. Feeling the sting of defeat, a team has been selected, composed of Melrose Y. M. C. A. best players. This team challenges you for a match at Ping Pong, which we suggest to take place Monday evening, Feb. 16, 1903. As this team has been gotten up by an individual of the Y. M. C. A. and not by the Y. M. C. A. itself, we should like to play in your room. However, if this is inconvenient to you we can doubtless arrange to have the match take place here. If we are successful with this team, your former victories against our weaker teams are cast in the shade, and if we lose we admit that no team composed of Melrose Y. M. C. A. players can defeat you. All members of this team are strong and healthy, and are hoping for an early and favorable reply, I remain,

Yours truly,  
E. C. WATERHOUSE, '03.

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# **Calumet Club Notes.**

The "Tigers," J. E. Gendron, capt., N. A. Knapp, H. T. Dickson, G. A. Wood and G. W. Fitch have been challenged to bowl the "Belmont Bulldogs," a team in the Belmont club. The game is scheduled for next week.

A Coney pool tournament has been started with the following players: E. S. Barker, Wm. P. Berry, A. M. Fitch, G. H. Hazeltine, Geo. Holden, N. A. Knapp, F. Hinder, C. A. Lane, Geo. Furrington, T. P. Wilson, J. H. Wins, H. L. Vose.

The house will be open as usual for the ladies on Friday, Feb. 20.

This Saturday evening, Feb. 14, at 8:30 there will be a smoke talk. Dr. Frank Edward Robbins will talk on "The Siberian Rail Road."

Dr. Robbins has recently returned from Siberia where he has been living for three or four years, as an official under the Russian Government engaged in the construction of the Trans-Siberian Railroad. The speaker is therefore well qualified to talk upon the subject.

Tuesday, Feb. 17, at 8 p. m., there will be a lecture, entitled, "The Forestry of the Massachusetts Forestry Association," will give a lecture, illustrated by stereoscopic views, on "Roadside Trees and Forestry in Massachusetts."

Freshments will be served by the Club. Team 6 lost two games to team 2 Friday night, and thereby probably forfeited its chance for second prize in tournament, as a team 4 now leads by over two hundred pins. The two teams come together for their final game this Friday evening, which will end the tournament.

The score:

Team 2 vs 6.	1	2	3	Total
Furrington, G. W. (capt.)	156	111	155	422
Knapp, N. A.	156	111	155	422
Fitch, G. W.	156	111	155	422
Ayer, J. H.	156	111	155	422
Stones, H. H.	156	111	155	422
Totals	780	546	780	2006

Team 6 vs 2.	1	2	3	Total
Wilson, T. P. (capt.)	145	149	148	442
Knapp, N. A.	145	149	148	442
Wood, W. H.	145	149	148	442
Vose, H.	145	149	148	442
Totals	720	726	720	2166

The Tigers again took a straight win from team 3 on Monday night, thereby winning the tournament of the club.

The Tigers was high for single with 205, and Richardson for total with 540.

Following is the score:

Team 1 vs 3.	1	2	3	Total
Gendron, J. E. (capt.)	156	111	155	422
Fitch, G. W.	156	111	155	422
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The tie in the Mystic Valley League between the Calumet and Charlestown clubs was rolled off on Wednesday evening. But two strings were rolled, Charlestown winning both by 33 pins each.

Burnham was high man with 214, and gives Charlestown the championship in the Mystic Valley League, with Calumet second and A. B. C. third.

The score:

CHARLESTOWN.	1	2	3	Total
Winchester.	100	125	100	325
Watts.	100	125	100	325
Callwell.	100	125	100	325
Stones.	100	125	100	325
Thomas.	100	125	100	325
Totals.	500	625	500	1625

CALUMET.	1	2	3	Total
Richardson.	125	141	127	393
Berry.	125	141	127	393
Burnham.	125	141	127	393
A. Littlefield.	125	141	127	393
Totals.	500	588	500	1588

# **Political Notes.**

It is understood on good authority that Mr. Frank C. Murphy, division superintendent of the State Highway Commission, will consent to serve on the Board of Selectmen if it is the wish of the citizens. He will make no contest. It seems to be a good chance to secure the services of a practical man, one who understands the requirements of the town as regards road construction and drainage, the latter being one of the foremost problems confronting the Selectmen at the present time. If there is to be a contest, count him out, as he most assuredly will not enter under any such conditions.

There is said to be a surprise in store for those who attend the caucus, regarding the selection of Selectmen.

Residents of Cutler's Village would like to see Mr. George C. Stratton nominated as one of the Selectmen. He is a well known resident of the village, and is thoroughly familiar with the town. He is not making any effort to secure a nomination, and anything in this nature would be to be done by his friends.

The name of Mr. W. H. Goudwin of Wildwood street has been suggested to the STAR for Selectman. This gentleman is all right if he will only consent to serve. We hope he will allow his name to be used.

Park Commissioner Chamberlain, who is now in California, sends word that he will not again be a candidate for that board. He will, however, accept a re-nomination as Tree Warden. The town will miss his services on the Park Board.

# **From the Annual Church Meeting.**

Following are additional votes passed at the recent annual meeting of the Congregational Church:

Voted: To adopt the recommendation of the Church Committee that \$50 of the annual budget be appropriated for a Hall-Schoolship in the "American College for Girls" in Scituate near Constantinople, Turkey.

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Opening of a new store always arouses keen interest on the part of shoppers, and they well know that the way of goods everything is fresh and entirely new and according to the latest dictates of fashion. Hence, announcement that the Jones Peterson & Newhall Company is soon to throw open the store at 45 and 50 Temple place, for the sale of fashionable shoes for men, women and children, is undoubtedly awaited with a desire to see this newest addition to Boston's fashionable retail shops.

The members of the company, Messrs. Jones, Peterson and Newhall, have several years have served the public at the store of Thayer, McNeil & Hodgkins, and having severed their connection with that firm, intend to open their new store about March 15, at Temple place is such a desirable location for the sale of shoes that their choice of this location is certain to prove a wise one. That the store itself in its appointments will be attractive will be understood, as a matter of course, by those who have known Mr. Jones, Mr. Peterson or Mr. Newhall.

# **Winchester Public Library.**

Feb. 10.—Feb. 28. Exhibition of photographs: Munich and the Old Pictorial. Loaned by the Library Art Club.

**DIED.**

PRICE.—Feb. 9. Albion Price, aged 88 years. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 3 p. m. at 50 Vine street.

# **W. C. T. U. Sale.**

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. held a very pretty and successful sale in the small Town Hall, Tuesday afternoon and evening. The several tables were tastefully trimmed with scarlet and green and filled with a generous display of goods.

The entertainment in the evening was as follows:

1 Chorus of Welcome.  
Christine Newton, Ella Stowers,  
Edith McArthur, Clara Hamilton,  
Lena Dorman, Elizabeth Winn,  
Alfred Dover, Albert Carter, Lester Bush, Ora Mortensen, Robert Hamilton.

2 Piano Duet,  
Miss Dorman and Miss Simmons.

3 Temperance Traders.  
Alfred Dover, Lester Bush, Ora Mortensen, Albert Carter, Martha Hamilton, Christine Newton.

4 Recitation,  
Sylvia Stanley and No Happy Home.

5 Trio,  
Ora Mortensen, Alfred Dover, and Martha Hamilton.

6 Piano and Violin Duet,  
Miss Victoria Freethy, Miss Bernice Hilton.

8 Character Song,  
Mr. and Mrs. Malone.

Robert Hamilton and Cora Milton.  
McClellan's Orchestra.

Joseph McArthur, Viola A. E. Thombone, G. H. McNeil, cornet.

The orchestra played finely several pieces.

The following ladies served at the tables: Harriet Freethy, Mrs. L. L. Blood, Candy, Mrs. P. H. Blood, E. A. Smalley, Mrs. P. C. Wilson, Mrs. Isabella Enman, Mrs. Lucy Maynard, Mrs. Mary L. Winn, Mrs. Martha Kelly, Mrs. Carrie Huntington, Miss Margaret Freethy, Lemone, Miss Jennie Elliott, Valentines, Mrs. Harris and Miss Florence Park, Entertainment, Mrs. Grace Hamilton, Mrs. M. A. E. Thombone, G. H. McNeil, cornet.

A good sum was netted which will be used to further the good work of the Union.

# **Y. M. C. A. Notes.**

Fifteen boys of the Melrose Worker's Band will have charge of the boys' meeting Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. They will have a quartette and then will sing. This will be the biggest meeting of the entire season. Every boy is wanted.

Meeting at 4 o'clock. Special attraction, to be announced by ticket.

The Glee Club meeting will be omitted this week Saturday evening owing to a large number of the members attending the H. A. A. meeting.

The basketball team are all playing weekly. Records of these games appear in another column.

The inter-school team was defeated at Somerville Tuesday evening. Score 14-12. This was their first appearance in this new suit.

The boys have decided to attend the Worcester Boys' Conference at Ames Mills, Walter Kirby, Douglas Armstrong, Geo. Freethy, A. M. Parker, Secretary.

Others will undoubtedly decide to go during the week. The conference opens Friday afternoon and continues until Monday, the 23rd.

Only three more months in this year. Membership fees and subscriptions of any size will be gratefully received.

# **Parish of the Epiphany.**

Choir rehearsal this evening at 7.

The lecture for the Sunday School Teachers this evening at 8 p. m.

The Epiphany Circle will meet Monday at 3 p. m. in the Choir Room.

The usual five o'clock service on Wednesday.

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# **Baptist Church Notes.**

Monday, 4 p. m., meeting of the musical union.

Tuesday evening, meeting of the Prudential Committee at 61 Washington street.

Wednesday evening, prayer service.

"The Two Masters," Mt. 6:24.

This evening, fifth lecture by Miss Kinsman to Sunday School teachers in the Episcopal church.

The Bible School convention of the East Association will be held on Wednesday in the First Church, Everett.

# **Escaped an Awful Fate.**

Mr. H. Higgins of Melbourne, Fla., writes, "I was doctor told me I had Consumption, and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's new discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Recovery was starting. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's new discovery. It surely saved my life. This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung troubles by Grover Price 50c & \$1.00. Trial Bottles free.

# **Mrs. Mary Sullivan.**

Mrs. Mary Sullivan, wife of John Sullivan, died at her home on Cedar street Tuesday afternoon. Death was caused by a tumor. She had been sick for four months and a short time ago was operated on in a Boston hospital. She was 59 years old, and leaves two sons, two and a daughter. The funeral took place Thursday morning from St. Mary's church. Rev. J. Madden officiating. The interment was in Calvary cemetery, East Woburn.

# **Editor of the STAR.**

The patrons of the Arlington-Stoneham road were treated to a fine exhibition of the new motor cars on the road on Wednesday night. During the evening the cars were running on rag-time, but the last car from Arlington certainly carried the climax. Due to leave Arlington at 11:30, it left at 11:45, after the passengers waited in the car while the motorman and conductor tended to private business. The car was as slow as possible from Arlington to Winchester, several stops being made for no apparent reason, the motorman and conductor being in the front seat. Winchester center was reached at 12:15, when the motorman shut off the power, and went off somewhere. When the passengers inquired of the motor why the wait was being made, he replied "he was waiting for a motorman." Some of the passengers were disgusted and got out and walked. The car was then continued until 12:30 when the car left for Stoneham. It is said that this last car is run as pleasure crew, no attention being made to time.

# **A "Bag-Time" Electric.**

Mr. John Dunn, brother to Mrs. E. J. Johnson, and family returned home to Ashland, Me.

# **High School Notes.**

The report cards for the second quarter came out last Wednesday. From the faces of the scholars, it would seem that some were a pleasure while others were anything but a blessing.

A large number of boys from the upper classes are planning to attend the Boston Athletic Association Meet at the Mechanics Hall tomorrow afternoon.

The High school will be represented at the B. A. A. meet by James Woodbury Witherell, class of 1904. He has entered the forty yard sprint race, and is running high jump, on which he has a four-inch handicap.

The Senior class held its annual month meeting at the home of Barto. From 11 o'clock on up to the street, last Thursday evening. Several important matters of business, of interest only to the class, were transacted.

It has been announced semi-officially that the matter of running a relay race with the Arlington High school at the inter-scholastic meet, to be held in Boston next week, is under consideration.

It seems as if the High school could get a fine relay team for there are many fast men among the upper class men.

The directors of the athletic association are planning to hold an invitation meet to the High schools of Arlington, Woburn, Medford and Stoneham, this Saturday afternoon.







## Let's have a little talk.

What about?  
Why, about the weather.  
Winter is dying—  
And leaving the usual number of legacies.  
Weakness, and nervousness, and bad blood,  
And all the other Spring disorders.  
You know all about them.  
How they interfere with your work and your pleasure,  
How the headaches aggravate you,  
How the stomach rebels at sight of food,  
How you worry about trifles,  
What's the use!  
Why not get rid of your ills?  
There's a remedy—  
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### Electric Property Transferred.

The property known as the Woburn Light, Heat and Power Company has been sold to interests connected with the Boston Edison Co., the actual transferring taking place Friday afternoon, Feb. 13. This sale is in line with an evident intention to combine suburban electric properties in the eastern half of the state, the transactions already concluded embracing points as far west as Framingham. The future development or disposition of these acquisitions is as yet known only to the purchasers.

The News is authorized to say that the transfer will in no way affect contracts entered into with the Woburn company and in force at the time of sale. The Woburn Electric Lighting Co. was established in 1888. Late in 1896 control of the property was secured by Messrs. Littlefield & Plummer, who reorganized and started a new company Oct. 1, 1897. It was then located on Prospect street.

In the spring of 1899, the company moved into its new and thoroughly fitted station on Lake avenue. Under its new management it was successful in earning a 6 per cent dividend annually for its stockholders.

It is to be hoped the combine will deem it advisable to maintain it in operation, although it is but fair to say that the presumable intention is to supply electricity so far as possible from one or more central points at which is being adopted the country over. It is said that to transmit power 24 miles from Boston is really a very short distance.

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### White Ribbon Clippings.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. A. A. Rowe, 9 Bacon street, Friday, Feb. 27, at 3 p. m. The exercises will take the form of a memorial service, in honor of Miss F. E. Willard.

THE F. E. WILLARD NATIONAL TEMPERANCE HOSPITAL.

Perhaps the most comprehensive and convincing object lesson as to what can be accomplished in the medical world without the aid of alcohol, is to be learned today at the Francis E. Willard Temperance Hospital in Chicago. Good housekeeping is everywhere apparent in this model home for the afflicted. There are four wards: one for men, containing five beds, one for women, containing seven beds, and others with two or three beds. A pretty L. T. L. room, with two beds, is attractively furnished and is kept in order by the L. T. L. of Los Angeles, California. During the past year 315 patients have been treated, a large per cent. being surgical cases, with the result that the death rate has been only 4.2 per cent.

Connected with the hospital is a training school for nurses, limited to 12 students. The course of study covers two years and when the graduate leaves this school she ranks well with the nurse of the larger hospital and easily secures positions of responsibility and trust. She is often preferred by the staff physicians in private practice. The hospital has the gratification of knowing that in ad- vance-

## TOWN HISTORY.

The Winchester Historical Society and its Proceedings—Brief History of William Parkman Lodge A. F. & A. M.—The Charter Members and the Men who Laid the Foundation of this Prosperous Lodge—Pictures of Officers—Part civ.

[Communicated by Abijah Thompson.]

WINCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
PROCEEDINGS  
George Cooke, Secretary  
PART XX  
BRIEF HISTORY OF WILLIAM PARKMAN LODGE  
BY ALBION K. P. JOY  
1864-1903  
NO. 1

In the month of January, 1864, at the invitation of Abijah Thompson, several Masons, residing in Winchester, among whom were Dr. Wm. Ingalls, A. K. P. Joy, Esq., David N. Skillings, Josiah F. Stone, met at his house on Walnut street, in said Winchester, to consider what action could be taken to promote the cause of Masonry. After an interchange of opinions, it was decided to call a meeting of the brethren living in town, at No. 4 Lyceum Hall, February 13, 1864—which was held; and at a subsequent meeting, held on March 4, 1864, it was voted to apply for a Dispensation; and a committee, consisting of A. K. P. Joy, William Ingalls, and Abijah Thompson, was appointed to obtain the same.



WILLIAM PARKMAN.

A Dispensation was duly granted by William Parkman, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, dated May 9, 1864; and a lodge duly organized under the same, on Tuesday, May 10, A. L. 1864, at Masonic Hall, in Lyceum Building, on the corner of Main and Pleasant streets in Winchester, of which

A. K. P. Joy, was appointed Master, Josiah F. Stone, Senior Warden, Abijah Thompson, Junior Warden. The lodge was visited at its regular communication, October 11, 1864, by the Grand Master, of the Grand Lodge, William Parkman, Esq., from whom the lodge derived its name,—with his attendant suite. At the time specified in the Dispensation, it was regularly returned to the Grand Lodge with a copy of the



ALBION K. P. JOY.

Record and By-Laws of the lodge, which having received the approbation of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge, it pleased that body to grant a Charter, dated June 16, A. L. 1865, for a Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons in the town of Winchester, Massachusetts, under the name of the William Parkman Lodge, with all the powers, privileges and obligations growing out of the same, in accordance with the ancient and established usages of the Order. Thursday evening, June 23d, A. L. 1865, was designated as the time for constituting said lodge, dedicated to the service of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge, to wit: William Parkman, M. W. Grand Master, Solon Thornton, R. W. Senior Grand Warden, William F. Davis, R. W. Junior Grand Warden, John McLellan, R. W. Grand Treasurer, Charles W. Moore, R. W. Grand Secretary.

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It is proposed to make the whole metropolitan district foot the bills for a water park on the Charles river for the benefit of Boston and Cambridge. Winchester has already been cited upon not only to pay a large part assessment but has lost a great deal of taxable property taken for park and pleasure purposes. It looks as if the metropolitan district was to be more than burdened with these assessments, and the end is not yet.

The lockup shelters many tramps these nights.

## My Hair

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JOSIAH FRANKLIN STONE.

and the remaining officers of the Grand Lodge, were duly in attendance, and performed the established ceremonies in



ABIJAH THOMPSON.

accordance with the usages of the order. A complete set of officers' jewels was presented to the lodge, by the Grand Master, in a brief and eloquent speech, which were accepted, and a fitting response made by the Master of the lodge. The following officers, having been duly elected, were then installed in the



CEPHAS CHURCH.

presence of a large assembly of ladies and gentlemen: W. Master, Josiah F. Stone, Senior Warden, Abijah Thompson, Junior Warden, Cephas Church, Treasurer, Edward F. Boon, Secretary, William Pratt, Senior Deacon, Alex. H. Field, Junior Deacon.



EDWARD PAYSON BOON.

Albert G. Lane, Senior Steward, Henry C. Whitten, Junior Steward, Samuel P. Bartlett, Marshal, Salem Wilder, Chaplain, J. C. Johnson, Organist, Alfred W. Quimby, Inside Sentinel, Matthew Oliver, Tyler.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies, all were invited to partake of a fine collation furnished by the lodge.



WILLIAM PRATT.

The following communication having been received, was read to the lodge at its next meeting, and ordered to be entered upon the Records:

OFFICE OF THE GRAND MASTER OF MASONRY IN MASSACHUSETTS.  
Boston, June 24, 1865.  
A. K. P. Joy, Esq., W. M. of William Parkman Lodge.

Dear Sir and Brother,—At this my earliest opportunity since the late very pleasant service of consecrating your lodge, and the other interesting ceremonies connected therewith, I most sincerely thank you, and through you all the members, for the dignified, efficient, and elegant manner in which every arrangement was conceived and consummated; a spirit of refined and elegant taste characterized your every movement, and the refined audience was worthy the occasion.

Permit me to say that, without invidious comparison, I have never seen in my experience so complete a preparation, or so complete a success, and be assured



ALEXANDER H. FIELD.

as you bear my own name, I feel personally flattered, at not only your present position, but for the future. I know your lodge will maintain a high position. Allow me to say, while I give you these assurances in my official position, in my private relations with your lodge, I feel myself to be highly honored. With sentiments of fraternal regard,

WILLIAM PARKMAN.



ALBERT GALLATIN LANE.

[Reported.]

A Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons was instituted under the name of William Parkman Lodge, its halls dedicated to the service of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge, in this town, last evening. The halls are fitted up in a beautiful manner and are admirably well adapted to their purpose.



HENRY CLARKE WHITTEN.

They were graced on this occasion with a large number of ladies in addition to the brethren from this and other towns, who witnessed the impressive ceremonial rites with a good deal of interest. The installation of the officers took place in Lyceum Hall, which was elaborately



SAMUEL P. BARTLETT.

decorated for the occasion by Col. Beals, of Boston, and presented a beautiful appearance.

After the ceremonies were completed, the company were invited to partake of a bountiful collation composed of all the luxuries of the season, dispensed by the



SALEM WILDER.

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### "Physician, Heal Thyself."

EDITOR OF THE STAR.

Your "Here and There" correspondent, "H. F. J.," seems to be getting bilious as the spring town meeting approaches. "It was always thus" and probably always will be. Like Timothy, he should take something for his stomach's sake. How would it do to give him a dose of his own medicine, for by public advertisement he appears to be a benevolent physician with a remedy, which he freely gives away, for all the ills which trouble Winchester's existence as a town and make it such a sickly, "run-down" place to live in?

In last week's STAR the Dr. prescribes for the Metropolitan Park Commission and for sundry people on Walnut street and elsewhere who have been sugar pillled into sickness by the Commission. He claims that town Assessors' tax-values are positive proof of the exact value the state should pay for land taken for park purposes. He thought differently a few years ago when he prescribed a dose for the assessors, claiming that they assessed almost all Winchester land, excepting his, at too low a figure; but change is a sign of growth sometimes! He does not admit that the Assessors might have mislaid taxes on the Walnut street property. He specially alludes to in his article as a valuable gravel bank, assessing it only as a homestead. The State took this property largely because of its location for filling up low places in the Playground near at hand, having had a taste of what filling costs when gravel is hauled a mile or more when the first installment of the Parkway was built. Test pits were dug all over the place before the State took it to ascertain the quality of the gravel.

Does the Dr. think that the owners and the Park Commissioners should have ignored the gravel value of the Walnut street property because the Assessors had not discovered it? Because the land taken by the Park Commissioners from his family lot was low, wet and swampy and had to be filled before it was of much value, he seems to think all the high Walnut street land was the same kind of "watery stuff."

But the Dr. is full of bile and should be dosed. A piece of the Dr.'s family property was taken by the Park Commissioners at the rear of his Main street residence. It was low, wet land with no approach to it except by a steep goat path on one side. On the other side was an old river bed and a swamp full of standing water. The whole of this "back land" was assessed for \$200 by the Assessors. The Park Commissioners awarded \$400 for a portion of it, extending to the foot of the high land. The Dr. "kicked" so vigorously and had such awful stomach pains over this award that to ease his misery, the Park Commissioners increased it to \$600 without a legal contest or expense of any kind to the Dr. except fares to Boston, and then no doubt other errands were done on the same day. The Dr. had no expensive experts or high priced attorney, or "getting ready" expenses to much lessen the value of his award as his Walnut street friends. He did not have to wait for his money as it was a cash tender. He did not even enter suit or pay one cent for legal papers of any kind. All this shows that the Dr. is naturally a very capable business man, but it does not exhibit a great and abiding faith in Assessors' valuations as a medicine for himself to swallow.

He has been paid more money than he personally injured by the award of the Park Commissioners when his own land was taken.

If the Dr. swallows his own medicine "like a little man," now that its efficacy has been proved to him, he will forthwith return \$400 and accrued interest to the Metropolitan Park Commission because he has been paid more money than he personally injured by the award of the Park Commissioners when his own land was taken.

That other old home on Walnut street which he especially alludes to in his lament, where in bygone days he, with others, enjoyed the fruits and flowers of each recurring season, is annihilated so far as any family possession is concerned in the property. The occupants of the old homestead planted and watered during the years which are past, but they have no part in the beautiful increase of the present. But the Dr., besides receiving three times the assessed value of his family land, also comes into an inheritance of park beauty worth more than his homestead property than all the award he received. Is anyone jealous of the good Dr. for his good luck? Not a soul. But all are glad that one good old Winchester family has fared so well in the distribution of the many blessings accompanying present park improvements.

Now if our bilious friend can be persuaded to sit down quietly by his own fireside with a bottle of soothing syrup close at hand and honestly count up all the good he has received from the work of the Park Commission, as well as all the benefits others have come into, his present attack of biliousness may pass away and it may not be necessary for him to return the \$400 with interest above prescribed, to free him from his grievous complaint, as diagnosed by himself in last week's STAR.

### GOOD SAMARITAN.

Barker to Join State Mutual Force in March.

Edward S. Barker, who has been Boston manager of the Home Life for five years, will on March 2 open a general agency for the State Mutual Life, severing his connection with the New York company at that time. Prior to joining the Home Life force, in 1894, Mr. Barker had been with the State Mutual for sixteen years. He will have a suite of offices at 19 Milk street. Mr. Barker is one of the most energetic life insurance managers in the business. His contract with the State Mutual is said to be a most satisfactory one. Mr. Barker's hosts of friends are pleased to welcome him back to his old company.

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### Correction.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:  
In an article on the cost of our State Parkway in last week's STAR you have printed, "I think that about a third of the boulevard between Washington and Main streets must have cost \$3500." The figures should read \$35,000. H. F. J.

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Editor.

Everybody speaks well of Mr. George  
C. Coit and Mr. Sanford D. Leland. In  
their respective lines of work they will  
furnish exactly the kind of talent needed  
by the Board of Selectmen.

Scores of good citizens were deter-  
mined that the caucus should not be  
sidetracked this year for any bit and miss  
sort of thing. They stood bravely by  
their colors last evening. The caucus  
heavily applauded their line of action.

The re-nomination of Mr. Edgar J.  
Rich for the important position of Mod-  
erator is to be commended most highly.  
The STAR has had more than one occa-  
sion to endorse heartily this gentleman's  
highly dignified and capable manner  
of serving the town in this time honored  
office.

The unanimous nomination of Dr. Al-  
bert F. Blaisdell, at the caucus last  
evening, as a member of the School Com-  
mittee for a term of three years, seems to  
indicate that our citizens are only too will-  
ing to sustain the present school board in  
its somewhat strenuous efforts to elevate our  
school system to its proper position  
among schools of the commonwealth.

After a year's rest from a service of  
fourteen years on the School Committee,  
Mr. Samuel S. Symmes steps to the  
front again as a member of the Board of  
Selectmen for the coming year. He is  
known as a thorough business man and  
is well posted on the needs and wants of  
the town. Besides, Symmes' Corner  
thought it was high time that it had a  
representative on the Board.

As we predicted in these columns a few  
weeks ago the caucus gave Mr. John H.  
Carter a substantial recognition of his  
faithful and fearless service as a member  
of the Board of Selectmen. Doubtless  
it was pleasing to the gentleman and to  
his many friends to witness so many of  
our best citizens testifying to the  
appreciation of the value of his services  
to the town during the past year. This  
is as it should be.

It will be a strong Board of Selectmen  
next year. The three gentlemen nomi-  
nated last night will add to its strength.  
All three of the new members are well  
qualified for the work. The STAR has  
advocated somewhat more strenuously than  
ever this year the nomination of only the  
ablest men for the vacancies that could be  
secured. We are more than satisfied with  
the action of the caucus.

We believe it was a mistake to nomi-  
nate any other gentleman than Mr. Chas.  
N. Harris for the vacancy on the Board  
of Health. If for no other reason, the  
loyalty toward Dr. Benjamin T. Church, the  
honored chairman of the Board, should  
have prevented the nomination of any  
other gentleman however worthy. Our  
citizens will endeavor to rectify this mis-  
take at the polls.

What could have been more business-  
like, more sensible and more impartial  
than the use of that Australian ballot in  
voting for the new Board of Selectmen.  
Buyers have something to do to do  
beside listening to the bickerings of a  
few irresponsible people, on a bitter cold  
night. They had much rather have the  
opportunity to deposit their ballots  
promptly and then go home to look after  
their families and stoves, and get to bed  
at a reasonable hour.

## The Caucus.

Two things contributed to make  
a somewhat smaller caucus last  
evening than in former years.  
First, the unusually severe weather.  
Secondly, the lack of anything that  
savored of a sharp contest. Over  
the new Board of Selectmen there was  
the faintest suggestion of fric-  
tion, but it was scarcely worth  
mention. For the other posi-  
tions, save that of Assessor and  
Board of Health, everything was  
calm as a mill pond in summer  
time. If the caucus lacked in  
number it more than made up for  
it in the quality of the citizens  
present. The work of the caucus  
was eminently satisfactory. Its  
action will be sustained at the  
March meeting.

## Considered to be an Improvement.

Those gentlemen who are  
opposed to the present caucus  
method of nominating candidates,  
should take steps to adopt the  
system prevailing at Wakefield.  
In that town all those who desire  
to be candidates, send their names  
to the Town clerk a certain num-  
ber of days before the caucus is to  
be held. These names are all  
placed on one ballot and the voter,  
under the Australian rules, votes  
for the men of his choice, at the  
regular citizens' caucus. The  
candidates receiving the highest  
number of votes are considered the  
nominees and their names are  
then placed on the official ballot  
to be used on election day. Of  
course if anyone desires he can  
run on nomination papers, the  
same as at present. This method  
does away with any semblance  
of unfairness, and works very sat-  
isfactorily in Wakefield and other  
towns.

## A Correction.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:  
The figures given by "Good Samar-  
itan" on first page of the STAR as the  
amount paid by the Metropolitan Park  
Commission for "H. F. J.'s" family land,  
are incorrect, as I am informed. The  
whole "unimproved land" belonging to  
this estate was assessed for \$400. The  
Commission awarded \$40 for a portion  
of it, but H. F. J. by successful litigation  
raised this amount to \$450, which is 125  
per cent. above assessed value, which he  
claims in other cases should be the true  
basis of awards. Thus the corrected  
figures uphold the argument that H. F. J.  
was paid too much by his own statement  
of last week. I am sorry the figures were  
printed before they could be verified as  
correct.  
MISTAKEN SAMARITAN.



THE "TIGRESS."

J. E. GENDRON, CAPT., G. A. WOODS, N. A. KNAPP, H. T. DICKSON, G. W. FITCH.  
The champion team of the home bowling tournament at the Calumet Club. This  
team did not lose a match to any other team during the season. They have received  
challenges from B. A. and the Belmont Club.

## Calumet Club Notes.

The home tournament was finished on  
Friday night, when team 4 took two  
games from team 6, thereby winning  
second place. Following are the winners:  
First team prize. Won by team 5,  
(the Tigress). J. E. Gendron, capt., G. A.  
Woods, N. A. Knapp, H. T. Dickson, G.  
W. Fitch.  
Second team prize. Won by team 4,  
G. E. Corey, L. H. Goddard, Geo. Goddard.  
First individual prize (total pins). Won  
by F. S. Richardson.  
Second individual prize (highest three  
strings). Won by G. S. Littlefield.  
Third individual prize (highest single  
string). Won by T. Price Wilson.  
The spring candlepin tournament will  
commence this Friday evening. The  
following teams have been entered to-  
gether with the rating of the bowlers:

Team 1	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4	Team 5	Team 6
Philbrick, F. W. (capt.) 275	Calwell, J. A. (capt.) 275	Corey, J. E. 80	Wilson, T. P. 75	Godwin, W. 20	Dorcas, J. A. 25
Wilde, W. H. 25	Forbes, J. H. 25	Littfield, A. S. 80	Woods, G. A. 75	Littfield, A. S. 25	Woods, G. A. 25
Gendron, J. E. (capt.) 370	Richardson, F. S. (capt.) 370	Woods, G. A. 25	Hust, G. H. 20	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25
Woods, G. A. 25	Hust, G. H. 20	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25
Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25	Woods, G. A. 25

Following is the schedule of games:  
February 20, Friday, Teams 1 and 2.  
21, Saturday, "3 and 4."  
22, Sunday, "5 and 6."  
23, Monday, "7 and 8."  
24, Tuesday, "9 and 10."  
25, Wednesday, "11 and 12."  
26, Thursday, "13 and 14."  
27, Friday, "15 and 16."  
28, Saturday, "17 and 18."  
29, Sunday, "19 and 20."  
30, Monday, "21 and 22."  
March 1, Tuesday, "23 and 24."  
2, Wednesday, "25 and 26."  
3, Thursday, "27 and 28."  
4, Friday, "29 and 30."  
5, Saturday, "31 and 32."  
6, Sunday, "33 and 34."  
7, Monday, "35 and 36."  
8, Tuesday, "37 and 38."  
9, Wednesday, "39 and 40."  
10, Thursday, "41 and 42."  
11, Friday, "43 and 44."  
12, Saturday, "45 and 46."  
13, Sunday, "47 and 48."  
14, Monday, "49 and 50."  
15, Tuesday, "51 and 52."  
16, Wednesday, "53 and 54."  
17, Thursday, "55 and 56."  
18, Friday, "57 and 58."  
19, Saturday, "59 and 60."  
20, Sunday, "61 and 62."  
21, Monday, "63 and 64."  
22, Tuesday, "65 and 66."  
23, Wednesday, "67 and 68."  
24, Thursday, "69 and 70."  
25, Friday, "71 and 72."  
26, Saturday, "73 and 74."  
27, Sunday, "75 and 76."  
28, Monday, "77 and 78."  
29, Tuesday, "79 and 80."  
30, Wednesday, "81 and 82."  
31, Thursday, "83 and 84."  
1, Friday, "85 and 86."  
2, Saturday, "87 and 88."  
3, Sunday, "89 and 90."  
4, Monday, "91 and 92."  
5, Tuesday, "93 and 94."  
6, Wednesday, "95 and 96."  
7, Thursday, "97 and 98."  
8, Friday, "99 and 100."  
9, Saturday, "101 and 102."  
10, Sunday, "103 and 104."  
11, Monday, "105 and 106."  
12, Tuesday, "107 and 108."  
13, Wednesday, "109 and 110."  
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Mr. George H. Gilbert has been enter-  
taining during the week his nephew, Mr.  
F. Gilbert Hinsdale of New York, and  
George F. Reed of Barton, Vermont, the  
well known horse fanciers whose specialty  
is the Morgan type of horse. Mr. Reed  
had just returned from the New York  
dog show, and officiated as Judge at the  
dog show in Boston this month.  
Mr. H. Stanley Marsh has accepted  
the position as organist at the Congrega-  
tional Church.  
The worst snow storm of the season  
visited this section Monday and remained  
with us until late Tuesday afternoon.  
The wind blew hard and the snow fell  
fast. Drifts were numerous and deep  
and the electric roads had a hard time of  
it, but cars were kept running pretty  
nearly on schedule time. There were no  
sessions of the schools during the day.  
The street department men labored early  
and late despite the great handicap, but  
kept the sidewalks in very good condition  
for pedestrians.  
Mr. George M. Wilcox is now confined  
to the house almost all the time. It is  
hoped that the spring will see him out  
again.  
Miss Beatrice De Bussy gave a very  
successful entertainment at her home  
Saturday afternoon which was greatly  
enjoyed by every one who attended it.  
The title of the play was "Valentine."  
The characters were: Beth Sher-  
man, Pauline Blank; Dot Sherman,  
Barbara Blank; Roy Thompson, Helen  
Dieter; Jack Thompson, Beatrice De  
Bussy. The play was followed by  
Tableaux. They were—"Sleeping  
Beauty," "Overheard," "Two's Com-  
pany," "Fairy Captive," "Bed-time  
troubles," "Pillow fight," "Bed-time  
troubles," "Good-night."  
Call at Wilson's, Pleasant street, and  
see the latest styles in paper napkins,  
some designed for ping pong parties,  
others that are very appropriate for whist,  
still others just the thing for a musicale,  
etc. Call and see them.  
In a word—napkins suitable for all  
occasions.  
Wilson, the stationer, has all the newest  
styles in paper napkins, and suitable for  
all occasions appropriately designed for  
ping pong parties, whist clubs, musicales,  
etc. Call and see them.  
Hon. S. W. McCall was to address the  
members of the American Publishers' As-  
sociation at New York City Wednes-  
day.  
Mr. Albert Ireland of Newton High-  
lands, husband of Miss Anna Rich-  
son formerly of Winchester, died sud-  
denly of heart disease Monday. In addi-











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CHARLES HENRY MOSELEY.

**A Remedy Needed.**  
Editor of the Star:  
Allow me to call attention through your columns to a matter that is getting to be a nuisance. After the recent heavy snowstorm the sidewalk plow went out a number of short side streets on the sidewalk and then generously went once through the middle of the roadway. Since then several store men have deliberately driven their puns up these streets on the sidewalks, ignoring the broken road. In doing this the horses have kept the sidewalks continually chopped up with soft snow, making it very unpleasant for residents to travel on them. This has been done on several streets after every snowstorm this winter. Is there any remedy for this nuisance?

A TAX PAYER.

**Better than Gold.**  
"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Grover.

W. J. Mendum and Mrs. Mendum went Friday to California for five weeks.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day.**

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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Telephone Connection with Residence.  
925 to 927 cared on piano for persons about to purchase.  
Winchester Office F. S. Scales, the Jeweler, 169 Main Street.

## Let's have a little talk.

What about?  
Why, about the weather.  
Winter is dying—  
And leaving the usual number of legacies.  
Weakness, and nervousness, and bad blood,  
And all the other Spring disorders.  
You know all about them.  
How they interfere with your work and your pleasure,  
How the headaches aggravate you,  
How the stomach rebels at sight of food,  
How you worry about trifles.  
What's the use!  
Why not get rid of your ills?  
There's a remedy—  
And a good one.  
So good that you don't have to have faith in it.  
The medicine cures you, not the faith.  
But we have faith in it,  
Lots of it—  
So much that we guarantee it to cure you or you get your money back.  
What is it?  
Why, it's **JAYNES' Blood and Nerve Tonic.**  
It costs you 60 cents if it cures you.  
It costs you nothing if it fails.

**JAYNES' Blood and Nerve Tonic**  
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## TOWN HISTORY.

The Winchester Historical Society and its Proceedings—History of William Parkman Lodge A. F. & A. M.—Celebration of a Masonic Anniversary—Exposition of Masonic Principles by the Chaplain—Part cv.

[Communicated by Abijah Thompson]

WINCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
PROCEEDINGS  
George Cooke, Secretary  
PART II  
HISTORY OF WILLIAM PARKMAN LODGE  
REPORTED BY THEODORE FRICK WILSON  
1864-1884  
NO. 2

The twentieth anniversary of William Parkman Lodge F. and A. M. of Winchester, was celebrated Friday evening last at the lodge rooms in that town, and was an occasion of more than usual interest. Fifty-three members of the lodge were present with about 50 visiting brethren who, with ladies, constituted a company of about 250. The exercises in the lodge rooms were opened with prayer by Prof. George Cooke, chaplain of the lodge. The prayer offered by the chaplain contained the following:

"Oh, Thou Infinite One, in whom we live, and move, and have our being, we would bow before Thee with profound reverence, acknowledging our dependence and the

order, we have the divine book of books as "the guide of our faith," and the unalterable "rule of our action." Our symbols, rites, habitual lessons and solemn charges all bring us to the same original, and the only perfectly pure fountains of light, truth and love.

The grand constitutions of our order, as from age to age reaffirmed and codified, assume this supreme basis of all Masonic relations, duties and benefits.

With this prerequisite reference to God and His holy word, our ritual proceeds by the employment of most appropriate symbols, and in a progressive order of ele-

duty we owe to Thee. We look to Thee for Thy blessing and interest upon this lodge and all its members, and we would walk before Thee in the spirit of brotherly love."

Following the prayer was music by the Lotus Glee Club, which was rendered in the usual chaste and delightful manner for which the club is noted.

ADDRESS OF THE CHAPLAIN.  
Prof. George Cooke, chaplain of the lodge, then gave an eloquent address, dwelling on the principles of the ancient order. He spoke substantially as follows: Worshipful Master and Brethren of William Parkman Lodge:  
At the conclusion of this the second decade of our organization, it is fitting that we pause to summarize the record of our work,—to refresh our minds with the propitious events, and instructive lessons and the fatherly and brotherly offices to which, under God, we owe our present gratifying prosperity.

Such a review as the spirit of the occasion demands, to be of profit to us of those to come after us, should be permeated with and directed by a distinct and reverent regard for the basal principles and holy aims of Freemasonry itself.

We do not meet now simply to count our gains or losses as a local institution, or to recapitulate our individual experiences, festive or sad, during the 20 years now past. The superior consideration with every right-minded Mason is, what growth we may have attained in Masonry itself; how have the ancient standards and landmarks been supported and preserved, and with what vigor and with

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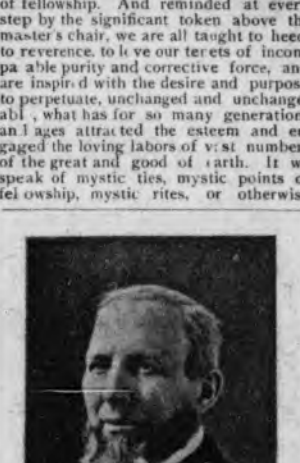
our order, we have the divine book of books as "the guide of our faith," and the unalterable "rule of our action." Our symbols, rites, habitual lessons and solemn charges all bring us to the same original, and the only perfectly pure fountains of light, truth and love.

The grand constitutions of our order, as from age to age reaffirmed and codified, assume this supreme basis of all Masonic relations, duties and benefits.

With this prerequisite reference to God and His holy word, our ritual proceeds by the employment of most appropriate symbols, and in a progressive order of ele-

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speaking of the mysteries of Masonry, we are constantly reminded of the religious sense of the term, and of ancient usage in all mythological and early Christian times, when that term stood for the most appropriate expression of what was in itself a holy and transcendently excellent. In a more generic sense we are taught to regard all faith and all truth as holy mysteries, having relations and issues extending to depths unfathomable, heights unapproachable, distances immeasurable. In this sense, what grander or more comprehensive mystery, representing the intermingling and interplay of all the capacities of human nature, than the abiding trinity of faith, hope and charity? Faith, sedate, thoughtful, constant, reverent, mainly, earnest, determined, comprehending the graver aspects of the true Masonic character; hope, with its inspirations of activity and zeal, its supports of courage and perseverance,



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On the 6th of March, 1864, Brothers A. K. P. Joy, William Ingalls and Abijah Thompson were appointed a committee

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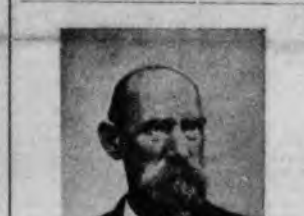
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## Selectmen's Meeting.

February 24, 1903.  
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Records of last meeting read and approved.

Received approval of State Aid payments for January.  
Received petition from the N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. for permission to open at junction of Highland Avenue and Forest street for the purpose of placing bond wire from telephone pole to street railway tracks. Referred to the Town Engineer.  
The following election of officers, were appointed for the Town election of March 25: Edwin Robinson, P. W. Reardon, Wm. C. Newell and J. Joseph Foley as ballot clerks, and Wm. F. Ely, F. B. Browning, W. J. Templeton and F. A. Parshley as tellers.  
Voted to furnish dinners for election officers.  
Issued warrants No. 13 for \$1957.01 and No. 16 for \$370.42.  
Adjourned at 9.45 p.m.  
A. W. ROONEY, Clerk.

## Let Us Be Just to All.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:  
The Appropriations Committee recommended about a 50 per cent. increase in a few town officers' salaries, but say nothing about increasing the pay of the other town officers. This raises the question as far as it goes, but all town salaries should be increased in the same ratio. A good town is known by its good officers and the good salaries it pays them. It is to be hoped that the town will more than back up the effort of the Appropriations Committee to do justice to all our town officers in paying them proper compensation for their labor.

FRIEND OF HONEST LABOR.

## Tendency of the Times.

The tendency of medical science is toward preventive measures. The best thought of the world is being given to the subject. It is easier and better to prevent than to cure. It has been fully demonstrated that pneumonia, one of the most dangerous diseases that medical men have to contend with, can be prevented by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed















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[Communicated by Abijah Thompson]

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REPORTED BY THEODORE PRICE WILSON  
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NO. 3  
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OUR PAPER.  
On clear evenings there are often seen darting across the sky brilliant points, leaving a train of light behind them. These are meteors. Like them, this paper suddenly flashes across the social horizon of Winchester, leaving, perhaps, in its course, some rays of brightness. Though not one of the "great lights," it will shine as it can, and illuminate the path of those seeking to find the way to the Masonic Fair in Winchester.

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less than three acres of land, and these items, as given below, will be understood as belonging to the farms of Winchester, which the enumerator was instructed to report as containing three or more acres, and producing a value of \$500 per annum. Eighty-three such farms were reported. The aggregate valuation of these farms could not be stated here so as to give a just representation of their value for agricultural purposes, for the reason that so many of them derive their market and their taxable values from other considerations.

The following items may serve better to indicate the distinctive agricultural interests of the town:

The distribution of property, the ratio of the educated classes, the proportion of labor to private and public demand for it, the means and facilities for vigorous home institutions for religious and social culture are combined to form an unusually well-balanced and harmonious community, in which the utmost freedom of elective social relations exists without the detractions and counterpoisings which are too often found disturbing the peace of country towns.

Thus Winchester, it may be safely said, has justly acquired an honorable reputation for its public spirit, its vigorous and to charities beyond its own limits, the character of its religious, educational, and social advantages, and freedom from town troubles.

Thus with what Nature has done to invite the lovers of her beauties, and what excellent provision is made for easy and almost hourly access to the city, the interior attractions of the town are appreciated by such as desire a happy combination of city advantages, if not also city customs, with the quiet, free, and healthful benefits of a country home.

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Under the designation of manufactures, the number of establishments of all kinds is forty-one, in which the amount of capital invested is \$572,200; the number of laborers employed, 704, and the number of persons directly or indirectly supported, nearly 2,000. The amount of wages paid, exclusive of board, is \$236,333. The cost of materials consumed is \$274,392, and the value of products, \$2,007,150.

The statistics of schools, churches, and professions, will be found in another article. Of the population, a little more than one per cent. are classed as defective or dependent persons, including paupers, blind, deaf, insane and deficient.

THE FAIR.  
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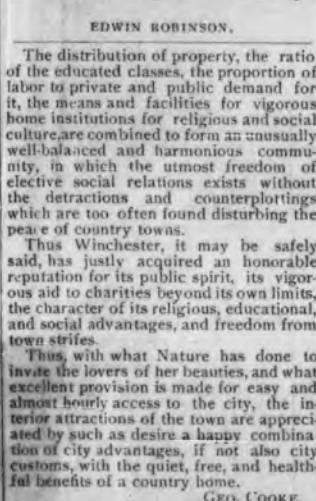
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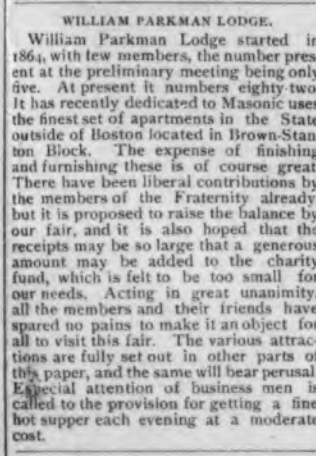
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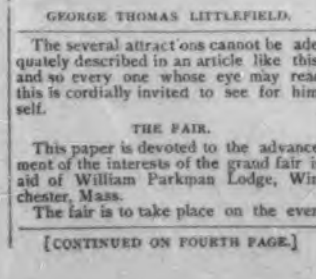
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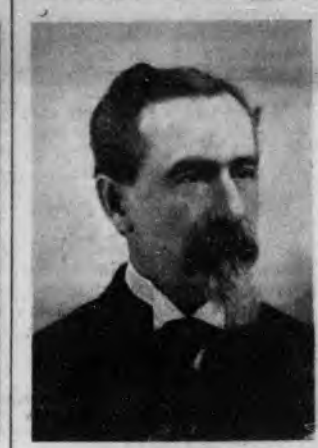
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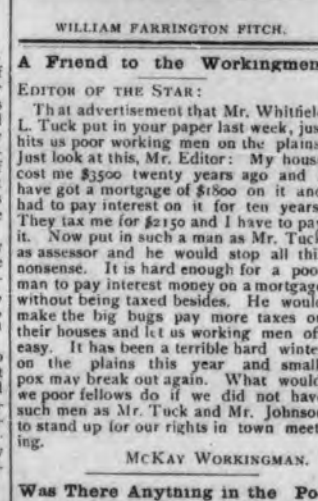
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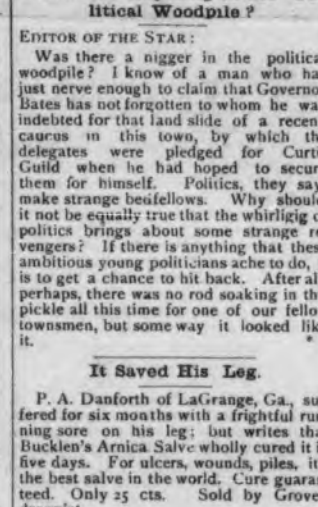
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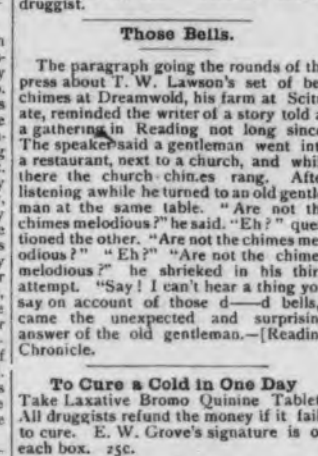
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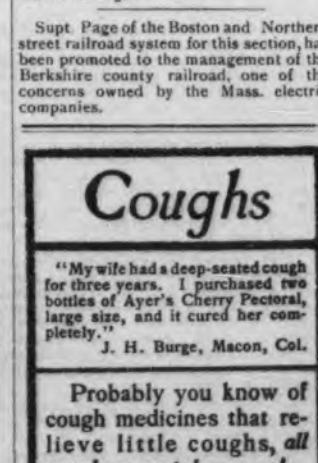
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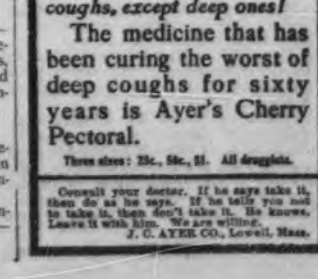
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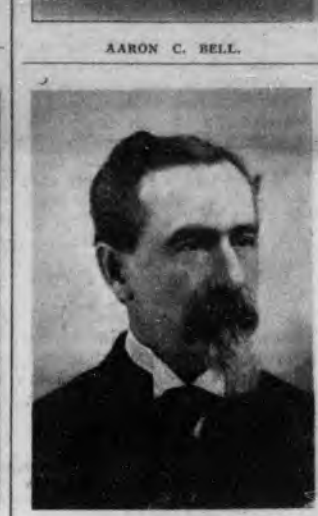
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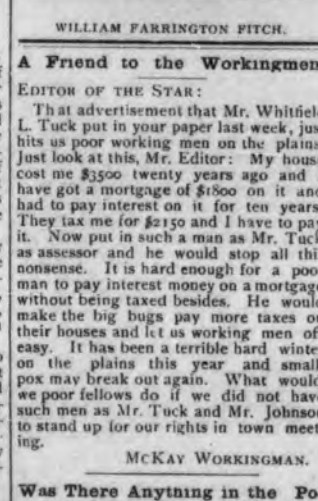
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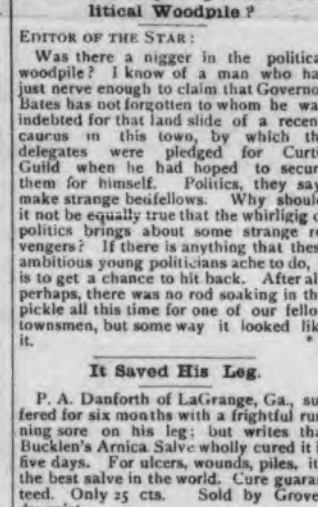
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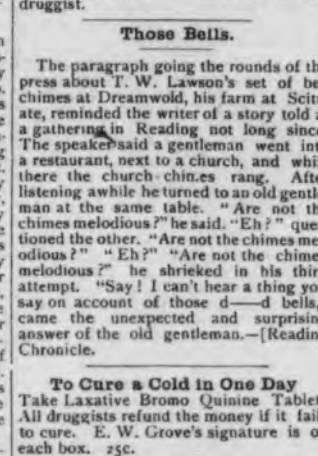
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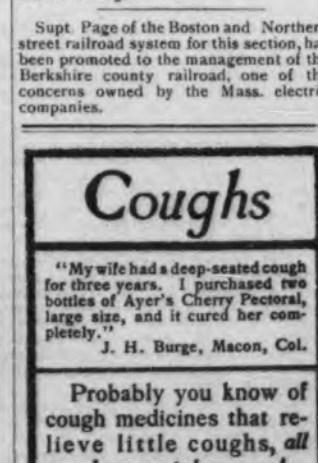
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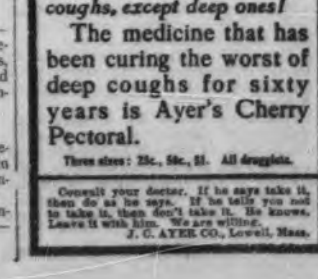
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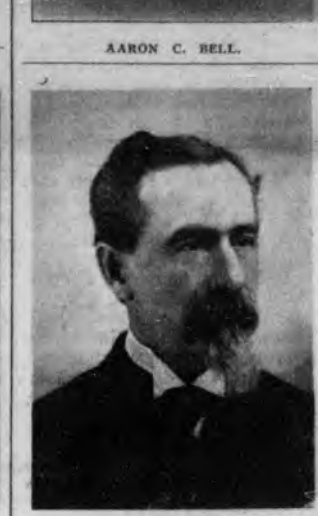
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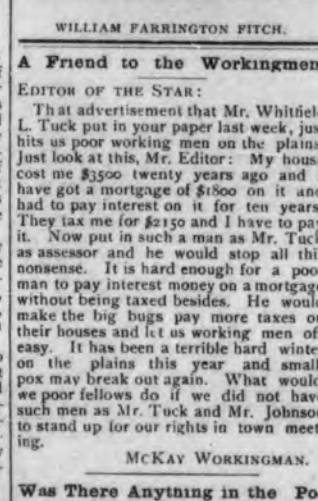
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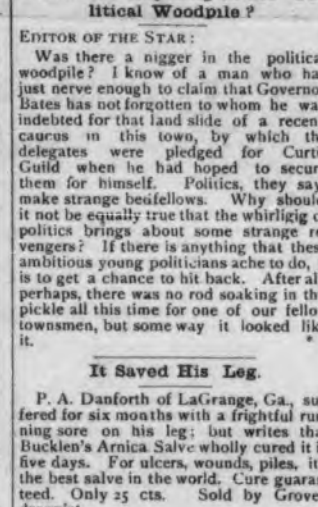
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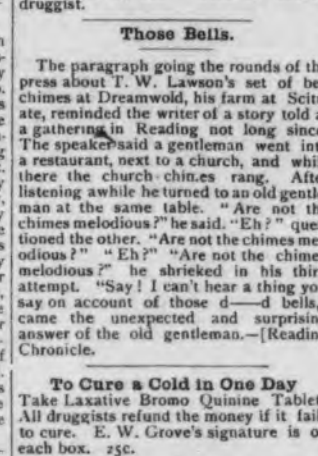
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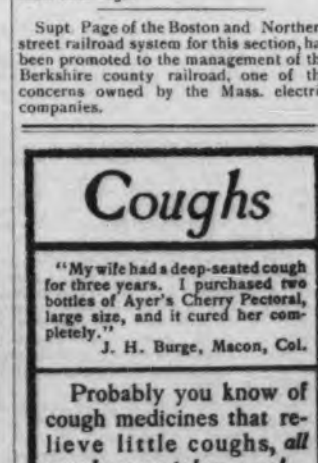
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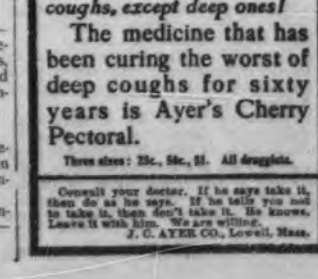
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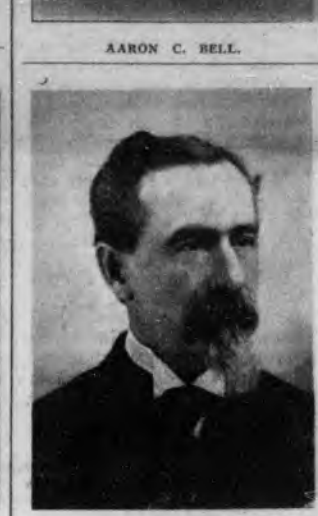
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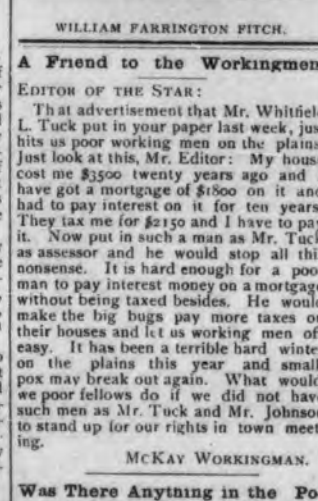
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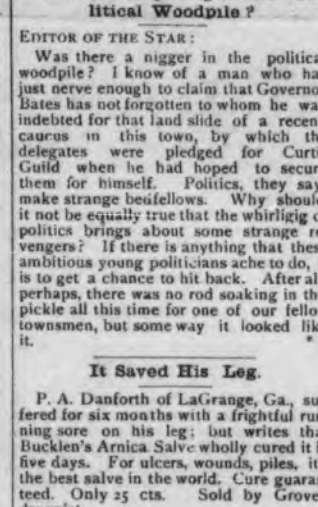
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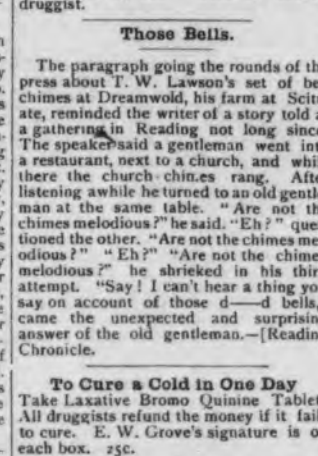
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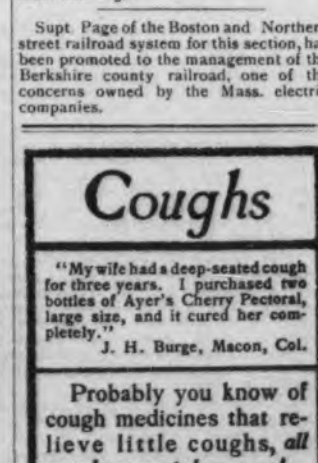
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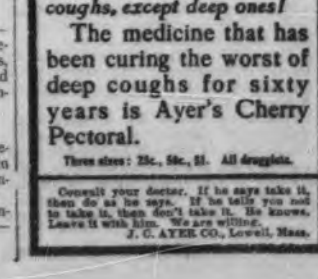
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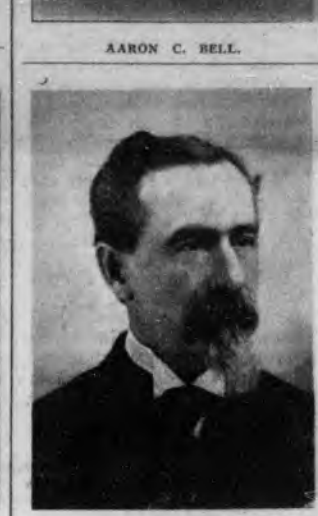
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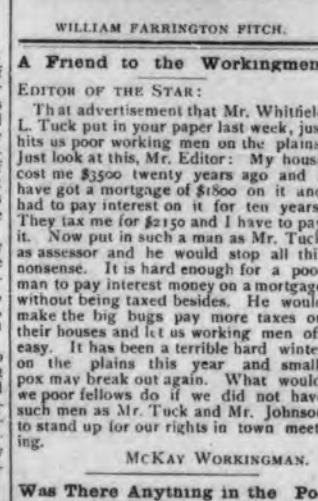
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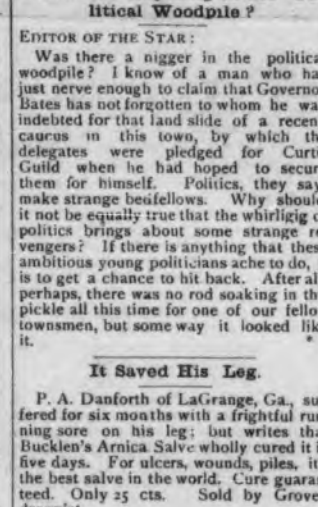
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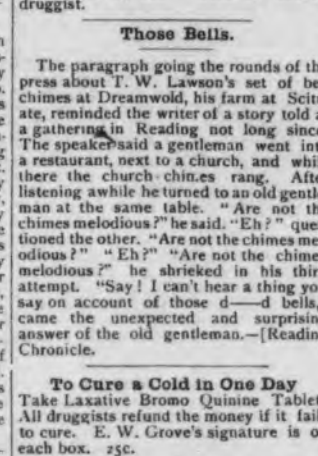
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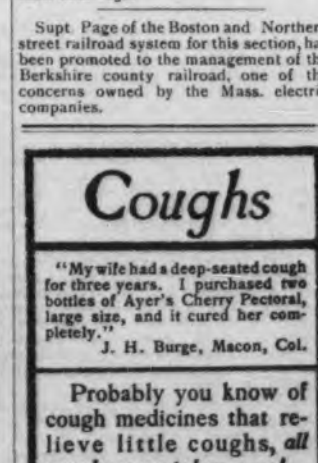
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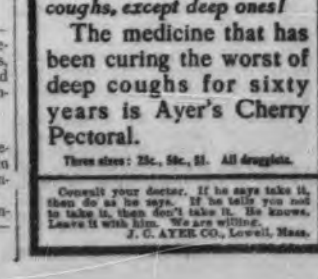
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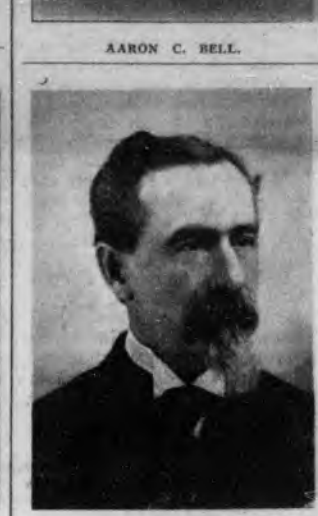
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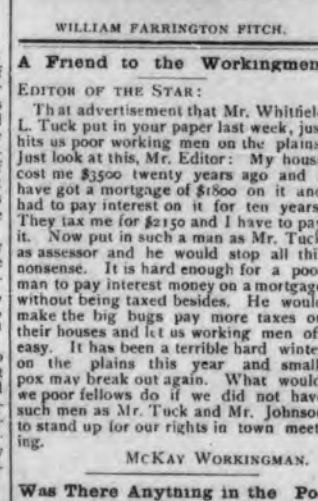
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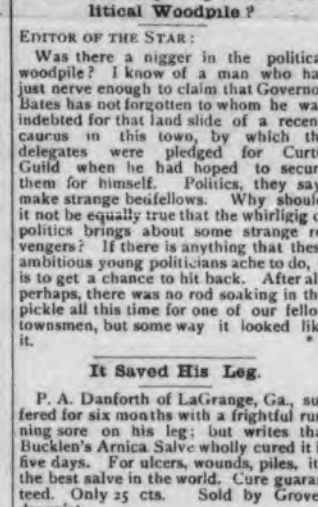
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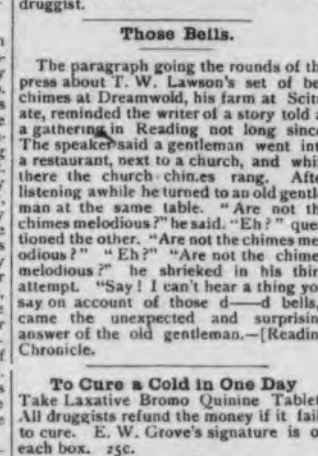
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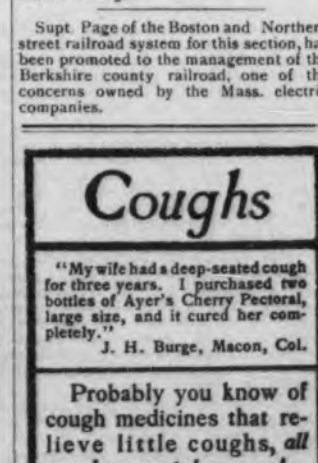
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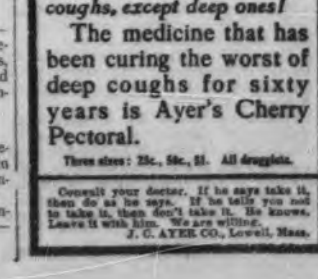
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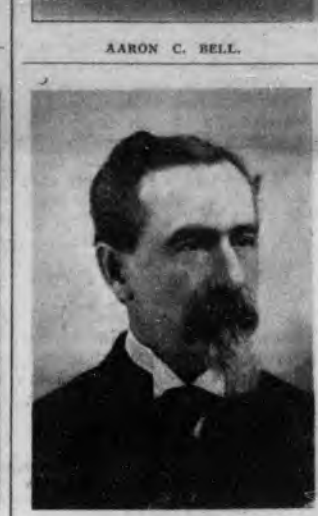
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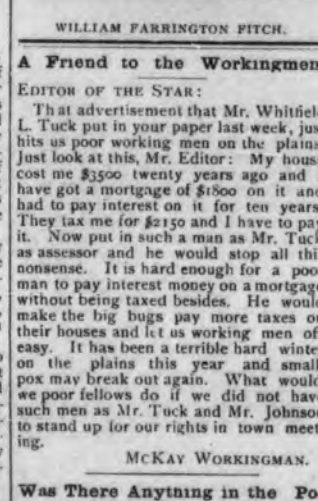
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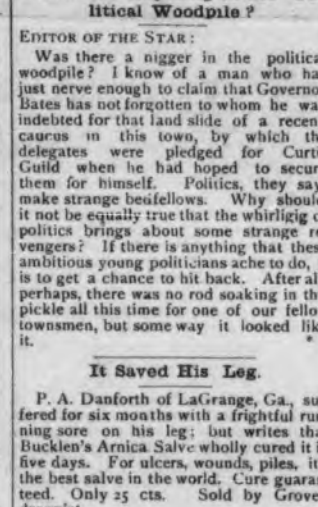
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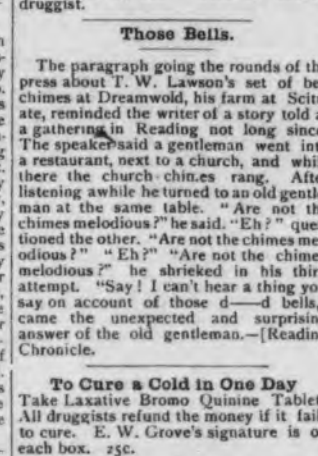
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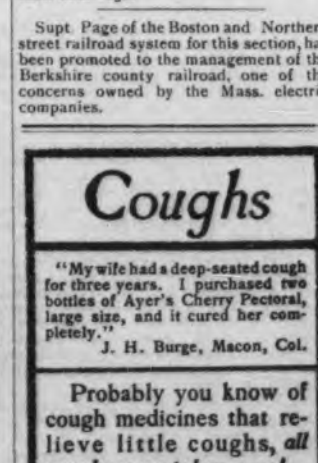
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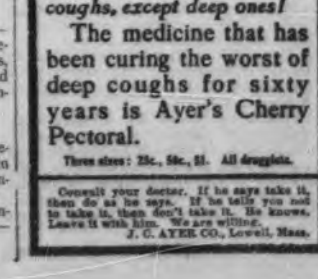
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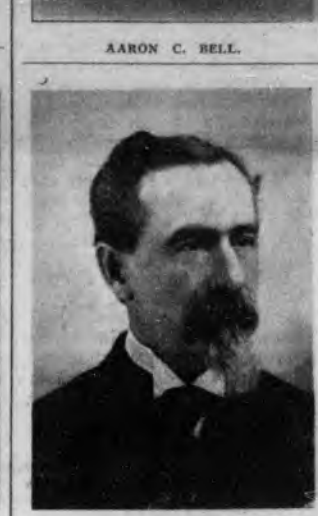
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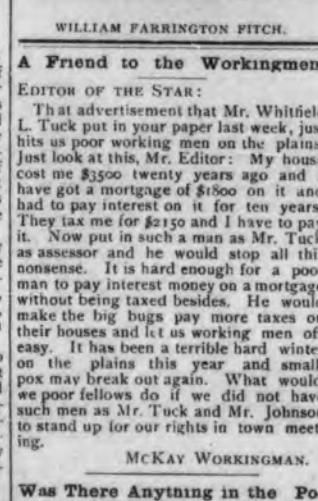
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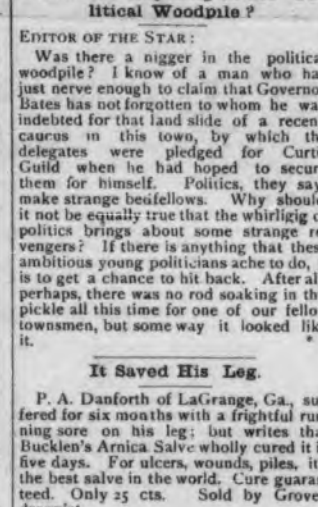
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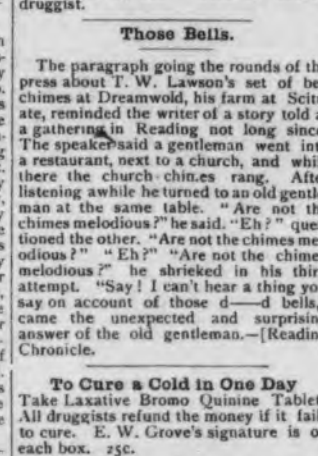
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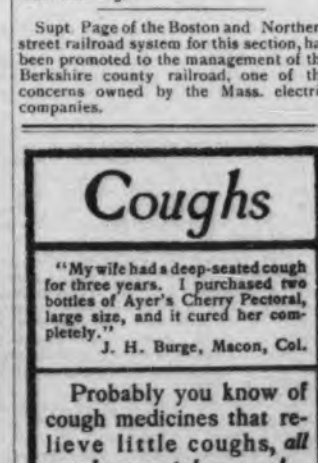
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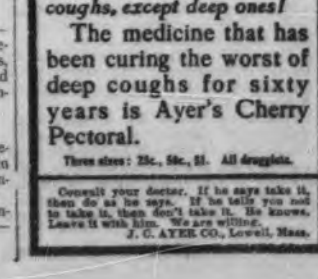
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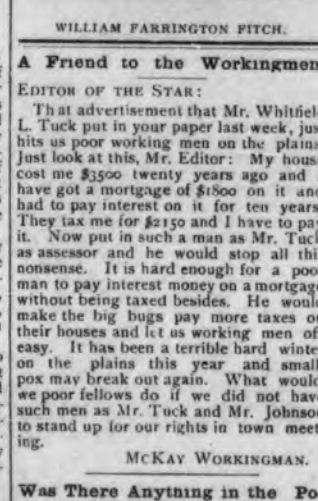
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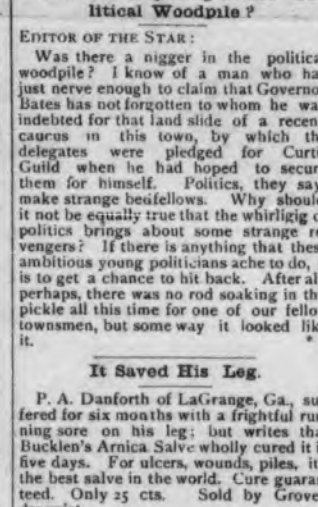
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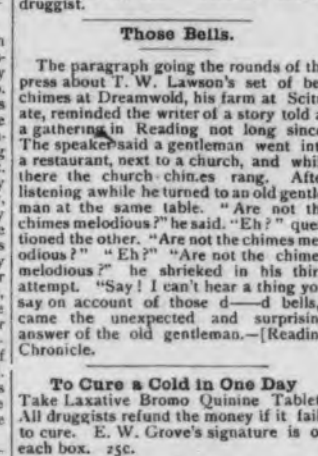
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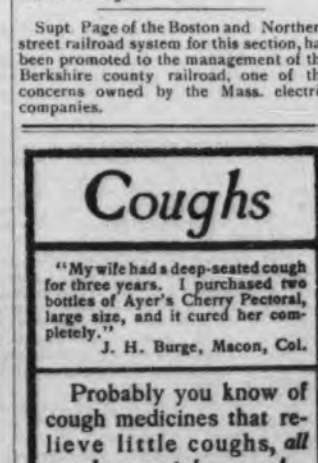
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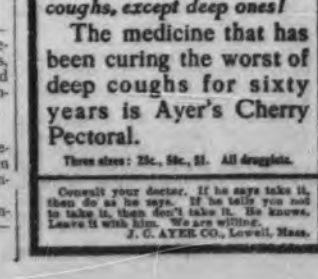
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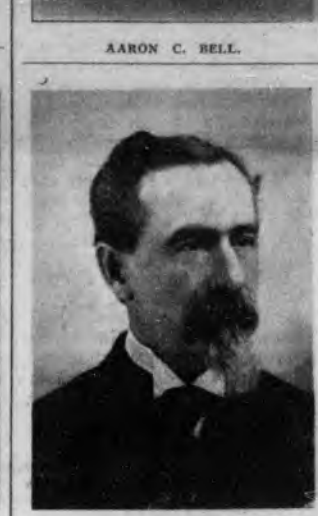
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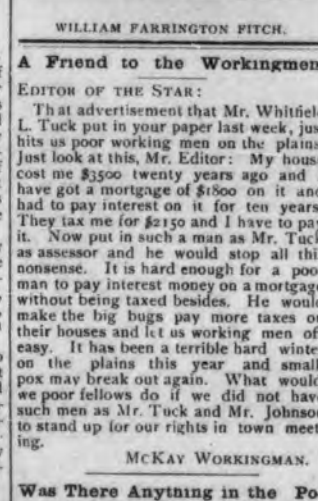
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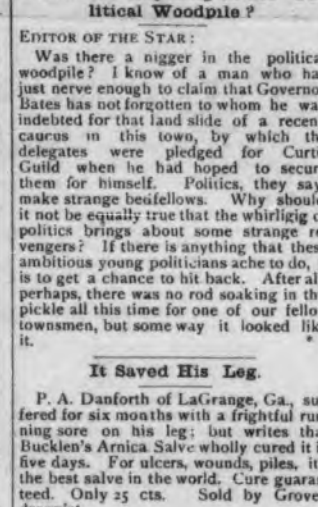
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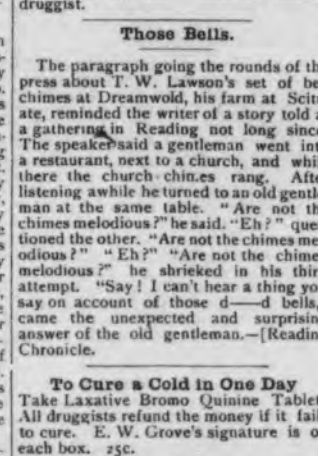
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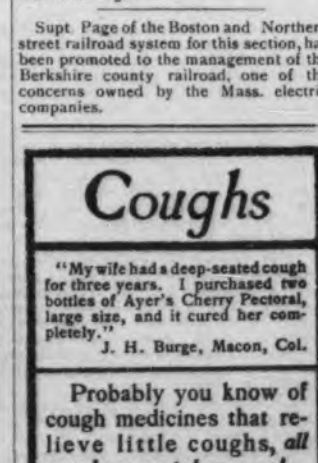
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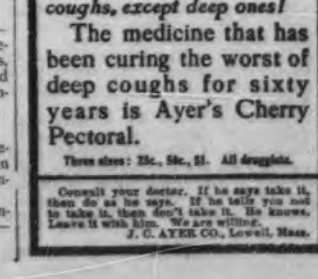
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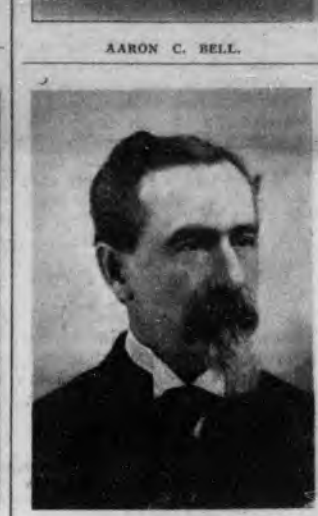
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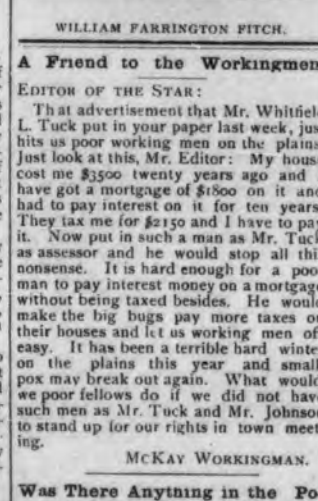
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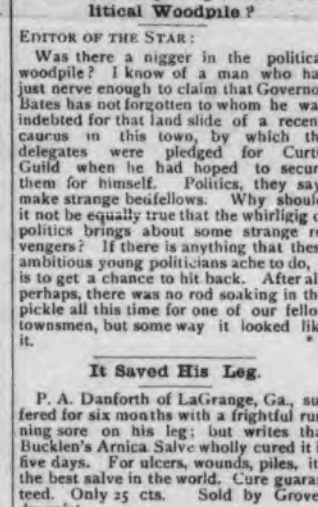
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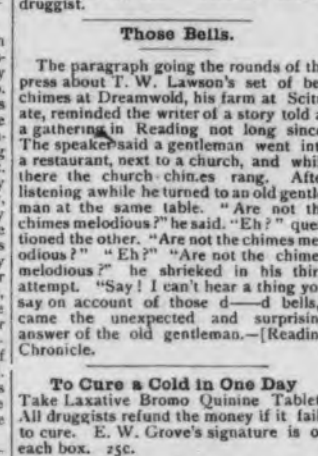
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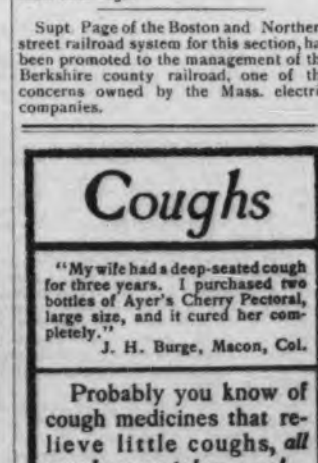
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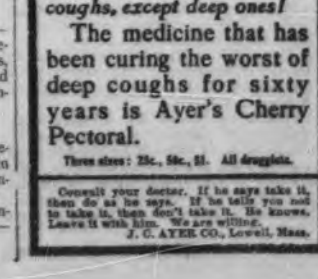
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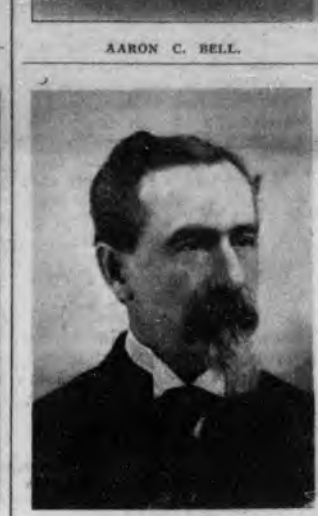
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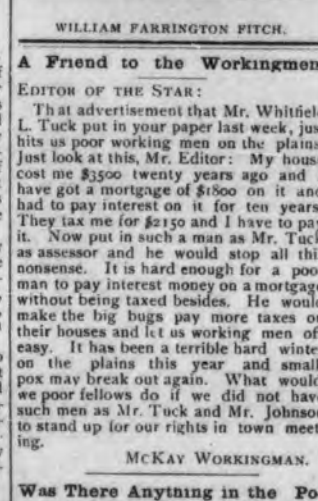
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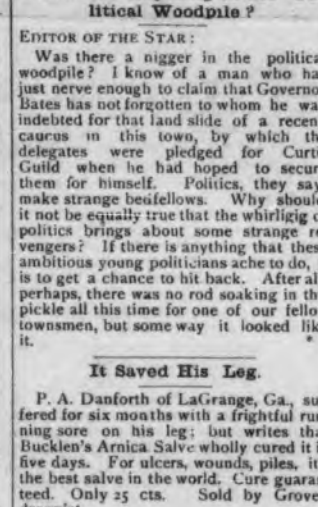
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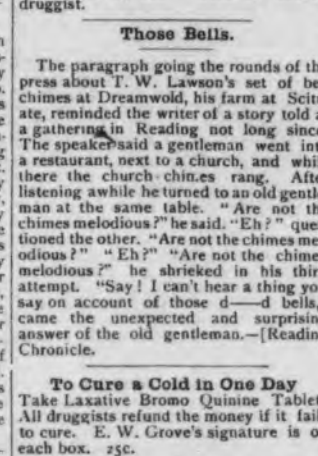
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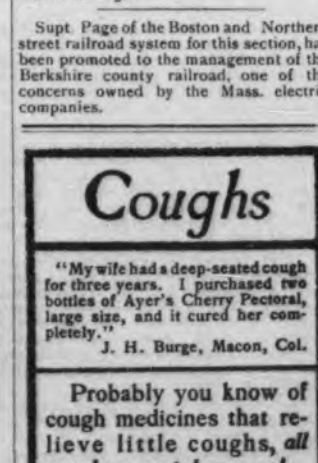
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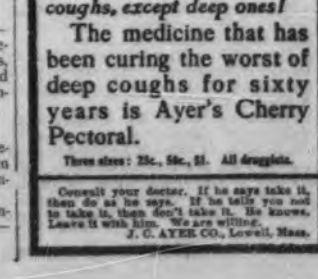
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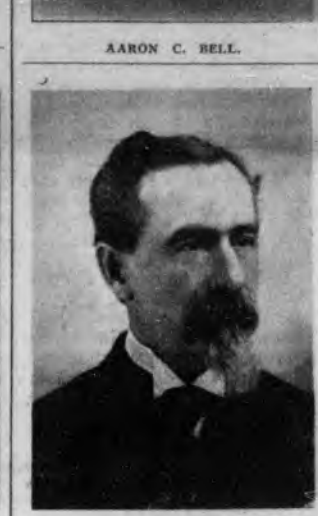
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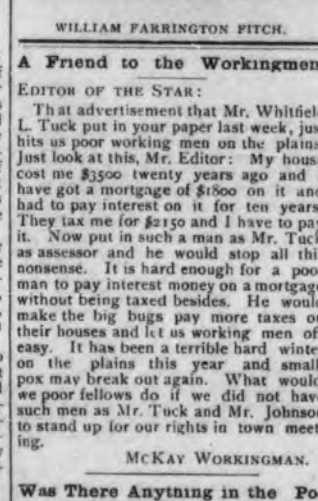
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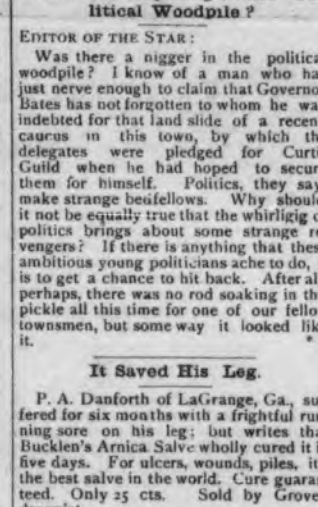
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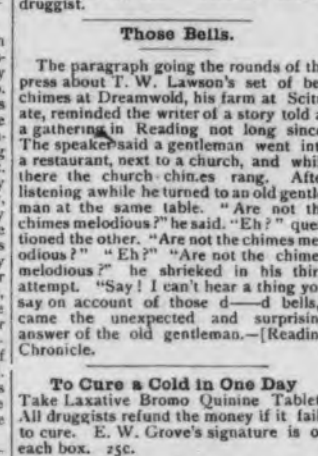
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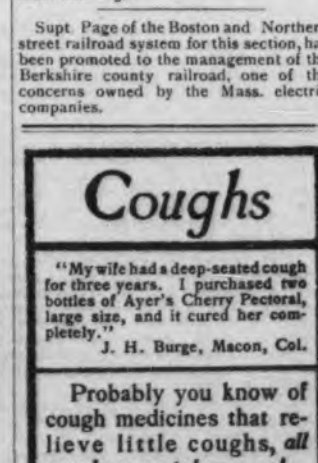
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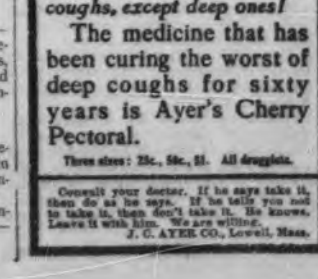
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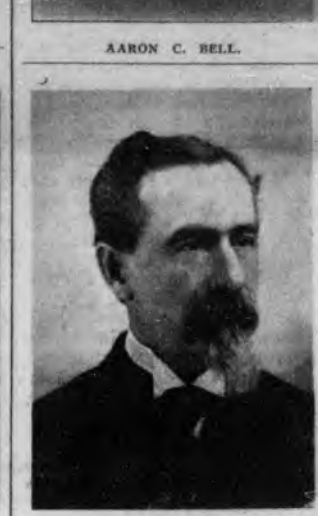
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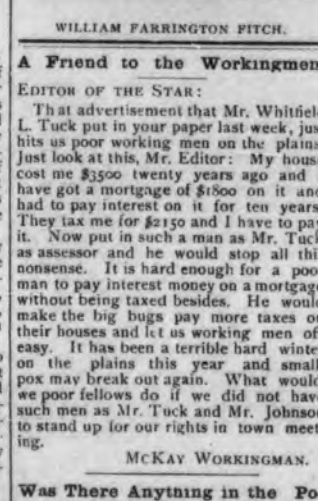
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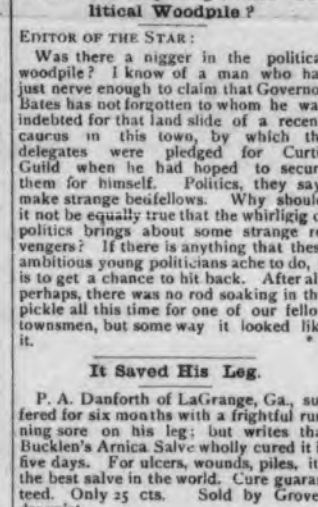
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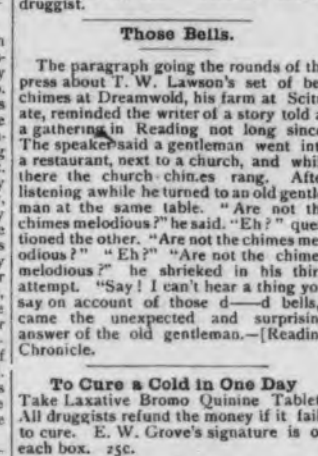
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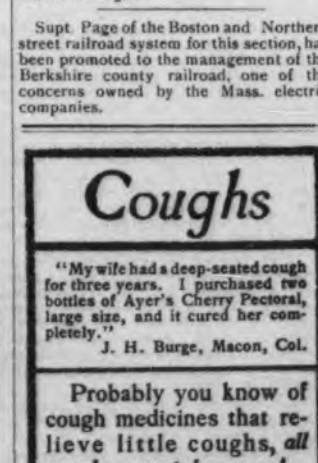
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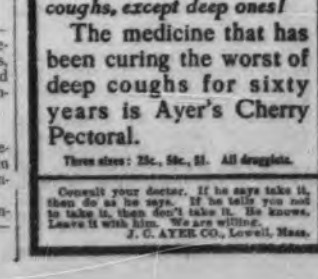
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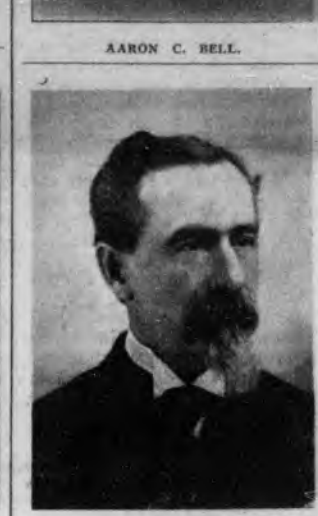
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These big case headlines for the  
Governor's veto and the yarn of the lady  
teacher who coasted down hill to school  
on her satchel, that was recently exploited  
in the daily papers, all belong to the same  
great class of sensational trash that is so  
often printed to catch the eye of the  
casual reader. The papers are "sold"  
as well as the readers of such trash.

The town meeting Monday evening  
ran as smoothly as if everything had been  
planned for the occasion. Such a display  
of good manners and business despatch  
was as commendable as it was surprising  
to those who somewhat anxiously were  
looking for trouble. There is still plenty  
of opportunity to run against snags at the  
adjourned meeting. We can only hope  
for the best.

Years ago when college boys were more  
disorderly than they are now at social  
functions, a certain high minded presi-  
dent of a university was wont to make  
a special prayer before the exercises  
began. He usually asked of the Lord  
that "all things might be done in decency  
and in order." This is the way about 200  
citizens felt when they jumped out of bed  
on Monday morning and sprang for the  
Town Hall before daylight. Not but  
that Mr. Wilson would make a most  
competent moderator. They were deter-  
mined that the important duty of electing  
a moderator should be fulfilled "with  
decency and in order."

**Should Take More Time.**  
The special committee appointed  
Monday evening to consider the  
articles in the warrant in regard to  
a town stable and yard, a fire  
engine house, a town ledge and a  
site for a town stable and yard, a  
fire house for the west side of the  
town, and the need of additional  
land for the cemetery, have indeed  
a stupendous task before them if  
they are to go into these questions  
thoroughly. This committee has  
work enough before them to take  
up three months' time, and yet  
a report is expected in two weeks.  
More time should be taken to  
thoroughly go into these matters  
even if another meeting has to be  
called.

**Through Cars to Sullivan Square.**  
There is a pronounced feeling  
prevailing that Winchester should  
have through electric cars to Sul-  
livan square over the North Woburn  
road. The Lexington cars are  
being run to that point, so, too,  
are cars to the west of Boston run  
up onto the platform at Dudley  
street station. Winchester should  
receive this benefit as soon as  
arrangements can be made. It is  
a hardship on the public to be  
compelled to change cars at Med-  
ford and stand around in the dis-  
agreeable weather, with no shel-  
ter, while waiting. A little agita-  
tion might go a long way toward  
bringing about this beneficial  
change.

**The Lynch Case.**  
Everybody is glad that the  
George F. Lynch smallpox affair is  
apparently settled. It may bob  
up again, but we hope not. Of  
course it was not legal procedure.  
The legality of a thing may go to  
the dogs when sentiment domi-  
nates the meeting, as it did Mon-  
day evening. It was a small  
matter for the town, financially  
speaking, and it was better to  
settle the vexed question on the  
broad basis of justice than to let it  
go by default any longer. The town  
is lamentably weak in not  
having a pest house. If we do not  
have one pretty soon, somebody  
else will pry over this case for a  
precedent and urge his claim from  
a sympathetic point of view.

**No Filibustering Wanted.**  
If the friends of Mr. John T.  
Wilson, or any other good citizen,  
wanted to bolt the caucus nominee  
for Moderator, they had a perfect  
right to do so. But when it comes  
to filibustering, Winchester is a  
mighty poor sort of a town to try  
on that kind of business. In justice  
to Mr. Wilson, the STAR is only  
too glad to emphasize the opinion  
of many of our best people in de-  
claring that this gentleman has  
proved himself on many occasions  
amply capable of discharging the  
onerous duties of a Moderator with  
rare skill and great impartiality.  
The trouble was that the claims of  
this gentleman were "promoted" on  
this occasion by those who were  
more anxious to kick over the  
traces and thereby try to do some-  
thing smart, than they were to pro-  
vide a competent Moderator to  
direct the business of the town  
meeting. Our citizens can always  
be depended upon to put both feet  
down square on all such proceed-  
ings. And they did so this time,  
even if it did call for some sharp  
sprinting before sunrise on the  
part of some who never turn out  
at such an untimely hour except  
for a fire, or some other rare  
disaster in their neighborhood.

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**What Governor Bates Neglected  
to State in His Veto Message.**  
We are informed on the very best  
authority that Governor Bates in an  
interview with Mr. Parkhurst, Chair-  
man of the Committee on Appropria-  
tions, Mr. Spurr, our town treas-  
urer, and other gentlemen deeply  
interested in the financial manage-  
ment of the town, took occasion to  
remark that in his opinion Winches-  
ter was as well managed financially  
as any other town in the common-  
wealth. This opinion was given the  
day before the veto was issued. If  
this is so, why didn't Governor  
Bates interpolate a sentence or two  
and say so in plain English? It  
must have been obvious to the  
veriest tyro that there was a techni-  
cal blunder or oversight somewhere  
in framing the bill, rather than  
"an extraordinary departure from  
sound financial methods." A fair  
inference to outside people that  
something was wrong would have  
been easily dispelled even by one  
sentence, if it had been inserted in  
proper form at the right place in  
this much advertised veto mes-  
sage which the Herald calls "An-  
other Proper Veto."

When the Governor wrote that  
message he knew that in the  
course of the next twenty years,  
with the system now in vogue,  
Winchester would practically wipe  
out its present indebtedness, re-  
sulting in a surplus of \$500,000 out of the  
total debt of \$567,000 leaving but \$67,000 to  
be paid thereafter. This includes  
the water, sewer and park loans.  
We would like to ask who is to get  
the real substantial benefits of  
these improvements if it is not the  
next generation. It is the people  
of today in Winchester who are  
likely to be burdened by indebted-  
ness and not those who are to  
come after us. With the sewer,  
park, water and the present High  
school loans practically paid in 25  
years from now, how much is there  
to be left for the next generation?

The Governor knew this, but for  
some reason (some say because  
Winchester has not been particu-  
larly enthusiastic for him) he took  
this opportunity to hold the town  
up to ridicule.  
**That Veto of the School Loan Bill.**  
In all probability Governor Bates  
was technically justified in his veto  
last week of the act providing for  
the issue of bonds of the "Winches-  
ter School Loan." The wording  
of the veto message to the Legis-  
lature was for the most part care-  
fully stated. And yet somehow it  
leaves to those who can read be-  
tween the lines a bad taste in the  
mouth. To those who are strangers  
to our town and to our business  
methods, certainly a fair inference  
from this message would be  
naturally entertained that we were  
somewhat hasty and extravagant  
in managing the town affairs. For  
instance, so trustworthy a news-  
paper as the Boston Herald, in an  
editorial which comments on this  
veto, is amazed "that the people of  
the town of Winchester should have  
attempted such an evasion of the  
reasonable statute regulating  
municipal debts." This same edi-  
torial goes on to extol the wonder-  
ful "vigilance" and willingness of  
Governor Bates in taking "the full  
responsibility of protecting the  
people of the Commonwealth  
against their own ill judged action  
and improper desires," and that  
fair warning is hereby given to  
legislators to take fair notice if  
they imagine that the present Gov-  
ernor would be "easy" and "un-  
willing to give offence by blocking  
their petty schemes." All this is  
a fair specimen of "editorial rot."

The writer had been as anxious  
to learn the cold facts concerning  
the financial policy of this town in  
general and the merits of this  
school loan in particular, as he was  
to bolster the "vigilance and  
sagacity" of the newly made Gov-  
ernor, he would never have been  
guilty of writing such an assinine  
leading editorial as this proved to be.

The STAR has only to repeat  
what it has said so many times be-  
fore, that the financial interests and  
business policy of this town have  
been subserved of late years by an  
able, conservative and well equip-  
ped a sub-committee of citizens (com-  
monly known as the committee  
on appropriations,) as can be  
found in any city or town in this  
commonwealth. This committee  
has always retained the respect of  
our citizens. The staunch support  
which they received at the town  
meeting on last Monday evening  
affords ample evidence of our posi-  
tion.  
No doubt there was an oversight  
somewhere or somewhere in framing  
the "veto." It was an oversight;  
or even a blunder, if you please, but  
never was there any intent of any  
"petty scheme" or legislation of  
"dubious character." The whole  
affair was a mere incident. It was  
made prominent only as the  
scarcity of local news called for  
some head lines on the part of cer-  
tain up-to-date, sensational news-  
papers of Boston.  
**A Very Simple Problem.**  
When the subject of a new  
High School building was being  
discussed, one important point was  
made by the Chairman of Commit-  
tee on Appropriations, at the pre-

**\$50,000**  
To invest in good, first mortgages  
on property in Winchester.

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**IN BUYING SILVERWARE**  
you should exercise a little judg-  
ment. Remember all is not gold  
that glitters. Some goods of in-  
ferior quality "look just as nice"  
but they will not stand the test  
of time.  
I sell the BEST Gorham Mfg.  
Co.'s, Whiting Mfg. Co.'s and  
wares of other well known mak-  
ers. Come in and look at this  
line of sterling silver.

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**Free Bread Baking Exhibit.**  
THE STERLING DID IT  
HAS NO EQUAL.

This is our Claim: Bakes  
a barrel of flour into bigger  
and better loaves of bread  
(14 lbs. to a loaf), with less  
fuel and in less time  
than can be done with  
any other range in the world.

For the purpose of demonstrating to the public the  
fact that we do exactly what we advertise,  
and we do it in a way that can not  
be done with any other Range,

**WE WILL BAKE AN  
ENTIRE BARREL OF FLOUR**  
into 14 lbs. loaves of bread, and we will  
do it quicker, better, and with less coal  
than can be done with any other range in  
the world.  
**JUST THINK OF THIS!**  
Over 250 loaves of bread,  
loaves baked at one time.  
Each loaf weighs 14 lbs.  
Only one Range used.  
One entire barrel of flour.  
Perfect bread throughout.  
Less than one hod of coal.

**Sterling Range**  
"HAS NO EQUAL"  
YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS EXHIBIT.  
TUESDAY, MARCH 10.  
GEO. E. PRATT & CO., WINCHESTER, MASS.

**Newspapers.**  
Mrs. Dunnell received a letter from  
Mr. Dunnell who is spending the winter  
in Cuba, in which he says that the  
weather there is like a day in June. As  
she has taken the same house again this  
season, and will take the same house again  
this season, she has been very much  
pleased to hear of the weather there.  
The people in the vicinity of the High-  
lands have been very much annoyed by  
snowballs and stones thrown by the  
people of that part of the town have no  
police protection.—[Resident].  
Mrs. Ella Reed of Fitchburg, has been  
spending the past few days with Mr. and  
Mrs. Jewett Holdsworth.  
The employees of the Woburn division  
of the Boston & Northern road are much  
pleased over an increase in wages. The  
increase affects 60 men, and the first of  
the week they drew up a letter which  
they all signed, thanking General Man-  
gier Foster and Superintendent Page for  
their interest in the welfare of the men.  
There can be no strike on a road where  
such a feeling prevails among the officers  
and employees.

The attendance at the Bethany on  
Tuesday was quite large. Twenty-five  
enjoyed the lecture. The guests were  
the teachers of the Washington school.  
The usual amount of charity sewing was  
done also several puffs that were ordered.  
Mrs. C. A. Ramsdell who was taken  
down with the gripe several weeks ago,  
is still quite ill, a nurse being in at-  
tendance.  
The family of Mr. William Alden of  
Fells road were all taken sick with the  
gripe last week. All are convalescing.  
Mr. Tucker and family formerly of  
Reservoir street, have moved into the  
new house on Lincoln street.  
Mrs. James W. Russell, Jr., of Walcott  
road is rapidly recovering from her recent  
illness.  
Miss Bertha Fisher, Hiltcrest who has  
been visiting in Claremont, N. H., re-  
turned home Thursday.  
The engagement is announced of Miss  
Flora M. Schaffer formerly of Winches-  
ter to Mr. Abbott S. Knowles, of Boston.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Clark, of Win-  
chester, announce the engagement of their  
daughter Edith Anne, to James  
McLaughlin, Esq., Barrister, School  
House, Melbourne, Australia.  
If it's a bilious attack, take Chamber-  
lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a  
quick recovery is certain. For sale by  
Young & Brown.

A big lot of new books was added to  
the circulating library this week. Are  
you taking books here? If not you are  
missing a good thing. Only 2 cents a  
day; no annual dues, no life membership.  
Call in and look them over. We  
hope to issue a catalogue soon. A. W.  
Rooney, "The Paper Store," 181 Main  
street.

**BE IN GOOD TIME.**  
An accurate watch is an absolute  
necessity and almost a necessary  
convenience. Do not trust your  
valuable watch to careless hands.  
Have it regulated and repaired  
by competent, conscientious  
workmen. Take it to  
**BARRON,**  
3 Winter St., Room 22, Boston.

### Newspapers.

To trace the sources of the inspirations  
of Shakespeare's marvelous genius will  
ever remain a marvel to the intellectual  
world. Never shall we know how that  
point he drew his knowledge of the  
springs of human passions or where he  
won his wistful sympathy with the joys  
and sorrows of all countries and all times.  
But we may today in his native county,  
Warwickshire, view the scenes where in  
boyhood and youth he acquired that in-  
crease knowledge of rustic life and man-  
ners, all his lore of fables, clives and gob-  
lins, all his intense delight in the beauties  
and charm of nature. This Warwick-  
shire as it is today and as it was in  
Shakespeare's time is the subject of the  
lecture to be given in the Town Hall,  
March 13, by our neighbor, Edmond H.  
Garrett.

A sale under the auspices of the  
Ladies' Friendly Society of the Unitarian  
church will be held in Mescall Hall on  
the afternoon and evening of March 26.  
Miss Fannie Eaton, a former resident  
of this town, will appear in original char-  
acter sketches in the evening.

Miss Eva Hanson accompanied by her  
aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jewett  
Holdsworth of Washington street attended  
the entertainment given by the Masons in  
Woburn last Friday evening.

Miss Florence Plummer entertained  
some friends at a musical given at her  
home on Clematis street last Wednesday  
evening.

Miss Constance Parker of Main street  
has come home from Andover to make  
her parents a short visit.

Miss Nettie Hutchinson of Irving  
street who has been confined to her bed  
with pneumonia, is now feeling like her  
self again, and able to attend to her  
duties in Boston.

About 6-1/2 acres of land on Mason  
and Sumner streets, at Symmes corner,  
have been conveyed by the C. P. San-  
born estate to Samuel S. Symmes. The  
assessed value of the land is \$10,000. The  
sale was made by M. H. Dunn.  
Through the same agency Mr. G. A.  
Saltmarsh has sold to Mr. J. C. Kennedy  
about 400 feet of land and stable ad-  
joining the latter's residence on Mr.  
Vernon street.

The Ladies' Friendly society, will  
hold its regular meeting in the parlor of  
the Unitarian church on Thursday, Mar-  
ch 13, at half past one p. m. At three  
o'clock Miss Edith Bishop will speak of  
her travels in Italy and Greece. All are  
welcome.

The song recital given by Miss Gladys  
Parker in the Town Hall Tuesday  
evening was most successful not only  
from an artistic point of view, but also  
because of the large audience and the  
reception given this talented young lady  
in her every effort. Miss Fogg was as-  
sisted by the well known tenor, Wilhelm  
Heinrich of Boston. Mr. Milo Benedict  
was the pianist. As the recital was  
stated to remark when Miss Fogg last ap-  
peared before the public here, she has a  
voice of unusually sweet quality which is  
thoroughly developed, and it is a real  
pleasure to listen to her. Many of her  
songs were real gems that will long linger  
in the memory of those present.

Mrs. George Ambler of Hancock street,  
entertained the Daughters of Rebeckah  
living here and who are members of the  
Woburn lodge, at her home last week.

It is said that Mr. D. N. Skillings will  
not be a candidate for the presidency of  
the Winchester Boat Club this year.

Recently Mrs. Henry Smalley of Cross  
street on the occasion of her birthday, and  
on invitation of her husband, took din-  
ner at the Touraine, Boston. She was  
much surprised to find a small package  
near her plate which, on being opened, was  
found to contain a handsome gold watch  
suitably inscribed—a gift from her hus-  
band.

The department answered to a still  
alarm for fire at the residence of Dr. F.  
Harding, Myopia Hill, Tuesday night.  
The chimney was found to be on fire,  
caused by the accumulation of soot from  
soft coal. No damage was done, al-  
though the Doctor says the roaring of  
the chimney was something alarming.

The many friends of John Blount will  
be pleased to learn that he has entirely re-  
covered from his attack of rheumatism.  
Chamberlain's Pain Balm cured him after  
the best doctors in the town (Monroe, Ind.)  
had failed to give relief. The great re-  
lief from pain which this liniment affords  
is alone worth many times its cost. For  
sale by Young & Brown.

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a trip south Monday.

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Miss Alice Hopkins. It is expected that  
there will be a large attendance, as this  
entertainment is to be for the benefit of  
the Church of the Epiphany building fund.

How often you hear it remarked: "It's  
only a cold," and a few days later learn  
that the man or woman who had the cold  
with pneumonia. This is a case of common  
occurrence that a cold, however slight, should  
not be disregarded. Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency  
toward pneumonia. It always cures and  
is pleasant to take. Sold by Young &  
Brown.

**MARRIED.**  
BUZZELL-NEWTN. Thursday eve-  
ning, February 26th, at the home of the  
bride on Parkway, Miss Emma Newth  
and John P. Buzzell, the Rev. Henry E.  
Hodge officiating.

This signature is on every box of the genuine  
Luxative Bismarck-Quinine Tablets  
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

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far in the lead of all others. It makes better bread  
and more loaves to the barrel than any other of the  
leading brands of today. The price is a little higher,  
but it is cheaper in the end, and customers who once  
use it always call for KING ARTHUR.

Barrels, Half Barrels and Bags.  
Also SWANSDOWN, BRIDAL VEIL, PILLSBURY'S  
BEST, B. M. C. and LANGOLA at Boston prices.

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## AN ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

**MR. EDMUND H. GARRETT**  
Will be given in the  
**TOWN HALL, WINCHESTER.**

**FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 13th, at eight o'clock.**  
Subject—"Warwickshire, The Home of Shakespeare."

**TICKETS—With Reserved Seats—50 CENTS**  
NOW ON SALE AT YOUNG & BROWN'S, WINCHESTER.

### Newspapers.

Mrs. Jenkins, mother of Mrs. John W.  
Suter, passed away at the home of her  
son, Mr. Jenkins, Tuesday morning at  
peritonitis. Services were held at Bridge-  
water Thursday afternoon and the in-  
terment was at Forest Hills today. Mrs.  
Jenkins was well known here, having re-  
sided in Winchester for many years.

Mr. W. W. Hodson will give a tenor  
solo at the Unitarian Church Sunday at  
morning service. The quartette will  
sing, "Seek ye the Lord" by Perry and  
"Come, ye disconsolate" by Schaeffer.

Miss Helen F. Winn has been enter-  
tained in Detroit, Michigan, the past week  
by Mr. and Mrs. A. Forrest Shattuck.  
Mr. Shattuck will be remembered as  
Winchester boy and graduate of the  
Institute of Technology.

Miss Emily C. Barnard, of this town  
left for the South, Thursday, having ac-  
cepted a position to teach in Dorchester  
Academy, Savannah, Georgia.

Haskell golf balls, 50 cts. each, 50 per  
dozen, at "The Paper Store," 181 Main  
street, headquarters for everything in  
sporting goods.

Miss Ruth Lawrence, who underwent  
another operation in Boston on the 28th,  
is reported to be convalescing satisfac-  
torily.

The Winchester branch of the Holy  
Ghost Hospital for incurables will give a  
concert in the Town Hall, March 17 for  
the benefit of the hospital.

Mr. M. E. O'Leary of Grover street,  
who has been seriously ill for the past  
four weeks, is able to sit up for a few  
hours a day.

Of course Winchester would be pleased  
with the gift of a soldiers' monument from  
the Y. M. C. A. and so, too, would  
the veterans.

Mr. William Richardson's horse ran  
away last week while he was delivering  
milk. The bottles were thrown out and  
smashed, but the team was unhurt.

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary  
to the Y. M. C. A. will be held Tuesday,  
March 10th, at three o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Powers are re-  
joicing in the birth of an eight pound  
baby girl, born Tuesday morning.

New fencing girl pictures, 5 cents each,  
35 cents a set. Where? at "The Paper  
Store" of course, where you find all the  
good things.

The impression prevailing among many  
that the school house loan, matter will  
have to be passed upon by the Governor  
again is erroneous. All that is necessary  
is the passage of another vote by the  
town in favor of the public statute.  
Authority to borrow this money was  
given last spring.

The County Club hopes to open the  
season May 30 with a golf tournament.

Another new and handsome car was  
placed on the Burlington-Winchester line  
this week—No. 275.

District Deputy Grand Williams, and  
suite of Dorchester County visited Aber-  
deen County, Royal Arman, Tuesday  
evening. One candidate was initiated.  
There was speaking, a collation and a  
general good time. The young men of  
the town miss a great deal by not being  
members of the Epiphany building fund.

If you wish first class engraving, or  
jewelry repairing, go to Geo. A. Barron,  
3 Winter street, Room 22, Boston.

Mr. Cyril E. Brown, a former resident  
of this town but now of Burlington, has  
sold his milk route to Mr. J. C. Kennedy.

Mr. W. E. Taylor was operated on for  
a fistula at a Boston hospital last week.  
It will be three or four weeks before he  
will be able to come home.

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**Wakelof Club.**  
For a long time the two year old child  
of Mr. P. L. McPherson, 59 N. Tenth  
street, Harrisburg, Pa., would sleep but  
two or three hours in the early part of  
the night which made it very hard for her  
parents. Her mother concluded that the  
child had stomach trouble, and gave her  
half of one of Chamberlain's Stomach  
and Liver Tablets, which quieted her  
stomach and she slept the whole night  
through. Two boxes of these tablets  
have effected a permanent cure and she  
is now well and strong. For sale by  
Young & Brown.

**Calumet Club Notes.**  
On the Friday afternoon of March 13,  
at 4 o'clock, there will be a musical for  
the ladies. Tea will be served at five  
o'clock. Mrs. F. H. Harding and Mrs.  
W. I. Palmer, presiding at the table.  
Committee: Mrs. W. E. Edmonds, Mrs.  
Lilley Eaton, Mrs. Oren C. Saborin.

There will be a Smoke Talk with  
music, Saturday evening, March 14, at  
8 o'clock, Mr. Arthur E. Whitney will  
briefly explain the principal of mechanical  
musical appliances, illustrating the re-  
ndering of different classes of music by  
means of a piano attached to a pipe.  
Mr. Whitney has paid special attention  
to the development of expression in the  
use of the piano and is an adept in the  
same. Efforts have been made to make  
this an enjoyable occasion.

**Mystic Valley Bowling League.**  
The Calumet team put up a fine game  
on Monday night, scoring a straight win  
over the team from the Burlington  
club. The figures were good. Calumet get-  
ting a thirteen hundred total. Capt. Philbrick  
of Calumet was honor man with 273,  
although all the figures were good.

**Calumet.**  
Littlefield..... 2..... 3..... Total.....  
Gibson..... 73..... 77..... 150  
Warren..... 62..... 64..... 126  
Richardson..... 70..... 100..... 170  
Farrington..... 30..... 28..... 58  
Total..... 434..... 441..... 875

**Box.**  
Fox..... 87..... 78..... 165  
Ward..... 72..... 89..... 161  
Warren..... 62..... 64..... 126  
Powers..... 69..... 83..... 152  
Harding..... 167..... 44..... 211  
Total..... 425..... 417..... 842

Mr. Walter Koestner died at  
Jamaica Plain Wednesday of apoplexy.  
He was 38 years of age and leaves a wife  
and sister, Mrs. Henry T. Schaffer.  
Private funeral was held today. He  
was buried in the city.

Miss Adelaide Richardson of Washing-  
ton street has had as her guest this week  
her cousin, Miss Nevil of Stoneham.

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When you unintentionally frown or  
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N. B.—This department is under the  
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A. CARTER. Jan 9, 3m

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Advice you where it should go.  
Sell you Fruit Trees and Rose Bushes.  
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Premium Receipts to January 1, 1903.	\$28,311,899.23
Of this sum there has already been returned to Policy Holders:	
For Policy Claims . . . . . 46.3 per cent.	\$10,333,051.54
For Surrendered Policies . . . . . 13.6 "	30,210,071.48
For Dividends . . . . . 24.8 "	59,073,787.46
Total . . . . . 84.7 "	\$99,515,910.48
Leaving still in Company's possession . . . . .	\$8,995,988.75
The Company's investments have yielded sufficient returns to pay all Expenses and Taxes, and still add to the Policy Holders' Fund for the fulfillment of existing contracts . . . . .	\$44,137,737.41
Total Assets, January 1, 1903, Market Values . . . . .	\$82,833,726.16

For Every Dollar received in premiums the Company has paid back and has on hand . . . One Dollar and Nineteen Cents.

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**COAL. COAL. COAL.**

We are now receiving a fair supply of coal, and are in hopes to be able to supply our customers with what they may need in the future.

Broken Coal, . . . . .	\$8.50 per ton
Egg " . . . . .	8.50 "
Stove " . . . . .	8.50 "
Nut " . . . . .	8.50 "
Cannel Coal for fireplace, 13.00 "	

We have a good supply of soft coal, which is almost entirely lumps, prepared especially for domestic use, \$7.50 per ton.

Dry hard wood, beech, birch, oak and maple, \$10.00 per cord	
Green hard wood, largely cleft, all good sized, 8.00 "	
Dry spruce slabs, 6.50 "	
Sawing wood, 50c each cut per cord, extra.	
Dry spruce edgings, sawed, 8.00 "	

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**High School Notes.**  
 The Senior class will hold their regular monthly class meeting this evening at the home of Miss Irene Lane, 13 Madison Avenue.  
 Miss Ethel Sargent will entertain the class of 1904 Saturday evening, March 7, at her home on Prospect street, at half past seven.  
 The regular monthly meeting of the class of 1905 was held last Saturday evening at the home of Shepard Pond, 103 Cambridge street. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mary French, at quarter past eight. The Secretary, Lillian Fisher, read the report of the last meeting which was accepted and the roll was called to which twenty-four responded. After the adjournment of the last business meeting, games were in order. A photograph also contributed to the pleasure of the evening. At the conclusion of the evening's festivities, a beautiful collation was served by the hostess.

As the date of the Inter-scholastic Athletic Meet, to be held in Mechanics Hall March 14, draws near, the interest of the school grows greater. For several weeks a dozen or more men from the various classes have been practicing for the various events. The trials heats in order to see who will represent the school took place Monday afternoon on Common street. Here the forty and one hundred yard dashes were run off. The only real interesting event of the races was the running of Frank Sullivan '05 in the forty yard dash. His running time was five seconds which is within two fifths of a second of the world's record. Captain Sullivan '05 has decided to enter the following men in the respective events: William M. Little '03, forty yard dash and three hundred yard dash; Walter Gutterer '04, forty yard dash and three hundred yard dash; J. Woodbury Withersell '04, sixteen pound shot put and six hundred yard run; Ernest B. Badger '04, forty yard dash and three hundred yard dash; Chester Locke '04, one mile run; Frank Sullivan, one thousand yard run.

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**TOWN MEETING.**

Committee to consider question of a clerk for all departments—Also to consolidate minor town offices—Lynch case settled—Salaries of officers increased—Town yard, stable, engine house, etc., referred to a special committee—\$700 voted for tree pests.

The annual town meeting opened at 6 o'clock in the Town Hall Monday morning. After the election of Moderator Edgar J. Rich, consideration of the articles in the warrant was postponed to the evening at 7.45, and in the mean time the day was given over to balloting for town officers.

When the appointed hour in the evening arrived, Moderator Rich read the list of officers elected, and called the meeting to order, and appointed and swore in the following tellers to count doublets: J. L. Ayer, W. J. Daly, W. D. Richards, J. Tucker. The attendance of voters was large.

On motion of Selectman Carter it was voted under article 3, to receive and accept the reports of the town officers and committees.

**ONE GENERAL CLERK.**  
 On motion of Mr. William C. Newell it was voted: That a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to examine into and report to the town at its future town meeting, the advisability of having one clerk or secretary for all boards, commissions or committees of the town, (to draw any and all resolutions which may be presented to the town) in the opinion of the committee are necessary for the purpose.

**CONSOLIDATING TOWN OFFICES.**  
 Mr. A. E. Whitney offered the following vote which was adopted: That a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to consider the advisability of consolidating the duties of some of the minor elected and appointed town officers and appointees of town boards and committees, so far as such consolidation can be accomplished without injury to the service and yet a saving of expense to the town; said committee to report this or at a future town meeting, either in print or verbally.

**CIVIL ENGINEER.**  
 On motion of Mr. F. V. Wooster it was voted: That the Town employ a civil engineer to be chosen by the members of the following boards: Selectmen, water, sewer, park, cemetery and assessors acting jointly, the expense incurred to be charged to highways and bridges account, each of the other departments to reimburse the Highway Department for its proportional part of the total engineering expenses, the amount of said proportional part to be determined by the joint committee; said appointed engineer shall have charge of all plans of the entire engineering work of the town under the direction of the above mentioned boards.

**FINANCIAL.**  
 Under article 4, it was voted to authorize the Treasurer to borrow \$50,000 in anticipation of taxes.  
 Article 5 moved, That \$31,500 be assessed upon the estates and polls of the Town and appropriated for the purpose of paying the notes and bonds of the Town becoming due in the year 1903. Carried.

**MEASURES OF WOOD AND BARK.**  
 It was voted under article 6 to fix the number of measures of wood and bark at five and delegate their appointment to the Selectmen.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**  
 Interest, \$701.  
 Highways and bridges, \$15,000.  
 Street lights, \$750.  
 Intermediate, \$30,000.  
 Police, \$500.  
 Town Hall, \$200.  
 Fire department, \$750.  
 Repairs on steamer, \$300.

When the item of repairs of steamer was reached there was considerable discussion. Engineer Badger said that after thorough investigation by the Board this sum would practically give the town a new steamer. He did not believe the town would care to spend \$300 for a new one at the present time. Ex-Chief Walmsley did not believe in purchasing up the old steamer which had done service for over 20 years. It was practically worn out, and he did not believe it could be made as good as new, the making of engines to be interesting event of the races was the running of Frank Sullivan '05 in the forty yard dash. His running time was five seconds which is within two fifths of a second of the world's record. Captain Sullivan '05 has decided to enter the following men in the respective events: William M. Little '03, forty yard dash and three hundred yard dash; Walter Gutterer '04, forty yard dash and three hundred yard dash; J. Woodbury Withersell '04, sixteen pound shot put and six hundred yard run; Ernest B. Badger '04, forty yard dash and three hundred yard dash; Chester Locke '04, one mile run; Frank Sullivan, one thousand yard run.

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**Winchester Public Library  
 Bulletin of New Books.  
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Animals before man in North America. Frederic A. Lucas. 751-3  
 As the goose flies. Katharine Pyle. 139-28  
 Aunt Abby's neighbor. Annie T. Slosson. 2135-51  
 Book of old English ballads. Hamilton W. Mabie ed. 1412-7  
 Book of weddings: a manual of good form connected with the marriage ceremony. Florence Kingsland. 1716-6  
 Brenda's cousin at Radcliffe: a story for girls. Helen I. Reed. 139-64  
 Children of the nations: a study of civilization and its problems. Poulton Bigelow. 312-33  
 Diary of a saint. Arlo Bates. 218-21  
 For a maiden brave. Conny C. Henckhiss. 277-304  
 Glimpses of China and Chinese bones. Edward S. Morse. 1823-3  
 Grandmother's girls. Helen Morris. 137-28  
 Hannah Ann: a sequel to "A little girl in New York." 193-248  
 Hastings chess tournament, 1895. Horace F. Chesshire ed. 923-148  
 History of Scotland from the Roman occupation to the present. Andrew Lang. 324-17  
 Holly-berry and mistletoe: a Christmas romance. Mary C. Hyde. 129-34  
 How to attract the birds. Nellie Blanchard Doubleday. 743-16  
 Impressions of Spain. Russell Lowell. 1851-31  
 In the green forest. Katharine Pyle. 139-29  
 Insurance and crime. Alexander C. Campbell. 151-57  
 Jack and his island: a boy's adventures along the Chesapeake in the year 1812. Lucy M. Thurston. 145-21  
 Jethro Bacon of Sandwich: the weaker sex. Frederick Jessup Stimson. 2137-46  
 Little Mistress Good Hope and other fairy tales. Mary I. Taylor. 145-11  
 Memoirs and letters of James Kent L. L. D. late chancellor of the state of New York. 1763-1847. William Kent. 668-19  
 Memoirs of a revolutionist. Peter A. Kropotkin. 668-46  
 Old royal palace of Whitehall. Edgar Speppard. D. D. 336-15  
 Out of the West: a novel. Elizabeth Higgins. 275-7  
 Pillar of salt. Jennette Lee. 292-348  
 Polly's secret: a story of the Kennebec. Harriet A. Nash. 138-13  
 Poole's index to periodical literature Vol. 5. 1897-1902. W. I. Fletcher & Mary Poole. R. D.  
 Retrospect and prospect: studies in naval and political relations. Alfred T. Mahan. 1612-10  
 Shakespeare's portrayal of the moral life. Frank C. Sharp. 415-6  
 Story of Athens. Howard C. Butler. 314-30  
 Strange adventures of a phueton: a novel. William Black. 223-27  
 Tangled up in Beulah land. Jay Paul Mowbray. 2106-39  
 Throne-makers. William R. Thayer. 616-23  
 Tiger and the lion. John Habberton. 266-39  
 Weather and practical methods of forecasting it. Elias B. Dunn. 722-14  
 Where American Independence began: Quincy, its famous group of patriots, its deeds, homes and descendants. Daniel M. Wilson. 373-5  
 Who's who 1903: an annual biographical dictionary. R. L. World we live in. Edward A. Brackett. 414-37  
 North-Buzzell.

**THE ELECTION.**

**Caucus Nominees Elected in Every Instance.**  
 The election of town officers for the ensuing year passed off very quietly, the vote being small with no interest displayed whatever. The only excitement of the day developed at the opening of the meeting at six o'clock a.m. when the matter of choosing a moderator came up for consideration. There was a movement started last week among friends of Mr. John T. Wilson to secure his election at the opening of the meeting over the caucus nominee, Mr. Edgar J. Rich. This move was discovered in time so that ample notice was given to the friends of Mr. Rich, who turned out in large numbers so as to be at the polls at the opening of the meeting at six o'clock. This is the first time within remembrance at which an effort has been made to disturb a caucus nominee, but the result was not very flattering as Mr. Rich received 119 votes to 20 for Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Charles N. Harris, the present member of the Board of Health was defeated by Dr. John J. Cogrove, the caucus nominee, and Mr. John T. Cogrove of the Board of Assessors suffered defeat at the hands of Mr. F. V. Wooster who was also the caucus nominee. While Mr. H. F. Johnson polled a large and surprising vote for Selectman, yet it was not sufficient to secure an election. Town Treasurer Spurr led the ticket with 631 votes followed by Collector Bell a close second with 621 votes.

Promptly on time Town Clerk Carter read the call for the meeting, and upon the election of the Moderator and upon the passage of a vote to defer action on the business articles in the warrant until 7.45 o'clock the evening by the following election officers: Edwin Robinson, Patrick W. Reardon, Marcus B. May and J. Joseph Foley for the committee, Fitch, Frederick B. Browning, William J. Templeton and Frederick A. Parabley, tellers.

When the polls closed at 4.45 o'clock, 763 votes had been cast; but three women taking the trouble to vote. Last year the total vote was 821. The result was as follows:

Town Clerk	George H. Carter.	270
Blanks		491
Selectmen		
John T. Carter.		528
John Chellis.		555
George C. Coit.		555
Henry F. Johnson, (nom. paper)		304
Samford D. Leland.		551
Samuel Symmes.		543
Assessor for 3 years		
John T. Cogrove, (nom. paper)		273
W. L. Cogrove, (nom. paper)		92
Fred V. Wooster.		526
Blanks		526
Overseer of Poor for 3 years		
George H. Carter.		181
Blanks		582
Treasurer	Thomas S. Spurr.	631
Blanks		132
Collector	Aaron C. Bell.	621
Blanks		142
Auditor	William H. Herrick.	610
Blanks		153
Water Board for 3 years	Charles T. Main.	177
Blanks		570
Sewer Board for 3 years	Charles E. Corey.	193
Blanks		585
Tree Warden	Allen Chamberlain.	178
Blanks		574
Park Commissioner for 3 years	Frederick D. Buzzell.	189
Blanks		547
Cemetery Commissioner for 5 years	Joseph J. Todd.	216
Blanks		246
Board of Health for 3 years	Charles N. Harris, (nom. paper)	265
Blanks		233
School Committee for 3 years	John I. French.	203
Blanks		233
Trustees of Library 3 years	George H. Eustis.	233
Blanks		569
Constables	W. R. McIntosh.	574
Blanks		535
Field Drivers	W. R. McIntosh.	611
Blanks		566
Fence Viewers	Patrick Holland.	434
Blanks		532
License	Yes	104
No		485

\*There were contests for Selectmen Assessor and Board of Health, and in these cases the names marked with a \* were the successful candidates.

**READ IT THROUGH.**

**'Twasd Spoil This Story to Tell  
 It In the Headlines.**  
 This is an eighteen century phrase, this is an "over the top" tale. Having happened in a small Virginia town in the winter of 1902, it is a story very much of the present. Up to a short time ago Mrs. John E. Harmon, of Melba Station, Va., had no personal knowledge of the rare curative properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "Last January," she says, "my baby took a dreadful cold and at one time I feared she would have pneumonia, but one of my neighbors told me how this remedy had cured her little boy and I began giving it to my baby at once and it soon cured her. I heartily thank the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for placing so great a cure within my reach. I cannot remember it too highly or say too much in its favor. I hope all who read this will try it and be convinced it was a 'spoiled story'." For sale by Young & Brown, druggists.

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## TOWN HISTORY.

(Continued from first page.)

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On Saturday afternoon there will be an  
entertainment for the children, from 1 to  
4 o'clock. Season tickets admitting the  
holders at all times are sold at \$1 each,  
and these holders also comprise the list  
of those among whom fifty-five presents  
of the value of \$1.45 are to be distrib-  
uted by a committee in some method to  
be determined by them as just and legal.  
Single admission tickets are 25 cents each.  
Children's tickets for Saturday afternoon  
are 10 cents each.



COTTAGE HOME OF ARJHAN THOMPSON.

Here was held the first preliminary meeting to consider what could be done to  
promote the cause of Masonry. On the left, viewing the picture, stands the home  
of Albion K. P. Joy, first Master of William Parkman Lodge. At the right is the  
home of John Symmes. Extreme right stands the home of Joel  
Whitney and his son, Arthur E. Whitney, the latter a member of William Parkman  
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The following articles will be pre-  
sented to the respective parties receiving  
the largest number of votes, viz.:—  
Clergyman.—Dressing Gown.  
Physician.—Carriage Blanket.  
Postmaster.—Cane.  
Baby.—Crib.  
Foreman of leather manufactory.—Pair  
of Rubber Boots.  
Driver.—Whip.  
Refreshment room.—Marcus C. Cook,  
Chairman; Mrs. M. C. Cook, President;  
Associate Bazaar.—C. H. Dunham,  
Chairman; Mrs. C. H. Dunham, Presi-  
dent; Mrs. A. Thompson, Cashier;  
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Miss Abbie Dunham, Miss Minnie Joy,  
Miss Keyes, H. C. Miller, A. Thompson,  
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Chairman; Mrs. F. A. Patch, President.  
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Geo. E. Rogers, Chairman; Mrs. E. E.  
Rogers, President; Mrs. M. A. Parker,  
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F. W. Perry, Miss Houston, S. B.  
White, F. A. Loring, S. A. Loring, S.  
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Chairman; Mrs. A. W. Quimby, Presi-  
dent; Miss E. J. Quimby, Cashier;  
Miss Addie M. Quimby, Miss Cora A.  
Quimby, Mrs. A. Allison, Assistants.  
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Mrs. L. S. Quimby, President; Mrs.  
James Cameron, Cashier.  
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Miss Ida M. Ramsdell, President; Miss  
Creedy Sears, Cashier; Miss Lizzie Sears,  
Miss Grace Conant, Assistants.  
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Mrs. K. V. Sawtelle, Mrs. C. L. Harring-  
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Chairman; Mrs. J. Stone, Jr., Cashier;  
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Sharon, W. Pratt, Henry Smalley, J. W.  
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S. W. Twombly, Salem Wilder, H. C.  
Whitney, Mrs. J. D. Sharon, Mrs. A. E.  
Whitney, Mrs. S. W. Twombly, Mrs.  
Salem Wilder, Mrs. H. C. Whitten, Assis-  
tants.  
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ager; Miss Nettie Coffin, Vender (in  
costume).  
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Mrs. Flor B. Foster, Cashier; Miss  
Etta Holbrook, Assistant.  
Foreign and Domestic Fruit (with Re-  
becca at the well).—Edwin Robinson,  
Chairman; Miss George Stone, Presi-  
dent; Mrs. E. C. Huse, Cashier; Miss  
Winnie Knapp, Assistant.  
Coffee, Tea, Cocoa and Spices (with  
China and Turk).—J. H. Dwinell,  
Chairman; Miss George Stone, Presi-  
dent; Mrs. E. C. Huse, Cashier; Miss  
Winnie Knapp, Assistant.  
Flowers.—J. D. Twombly, Chairman;  
Mrs. J. D. Twombly, President.

For the accommodation of the Woburn  
people who wish to visit the fair, arrange-  
ments have been made with Taylor's  
barge to leave Woburn each night of  
the fair, at 4:30, 6:30, 7 and 8 o'clock, leav-  
ing the passengers at the door of the hall,  
returning at 7, 8, 9 and 10 o'clock.  
Fare, 30 cents, which includes ride to  
and from, and admission to the fair.  
Excursion parties are also planned  
from Medford, Malden, Stoneham, and  
other towns.  
The fair will be opened by Mayor  
Prince, of Boston, and A. E. Scott, Esq.,  
of Lexington, at 10 o'clock on Feb. 16, with  
appropriate ceremonies.  
Eben D. Jordan, Esq., of Boston,  
of the well known house of Jordan, Marsh &  
Co., will be present one evening—prob-  
ably on Friday.



WARREN LORD KNOW.

Gen. Banks is expected to honor the  
occasion with his attendance. Other  
distinguished guests may be looked for.  
The supper-room will be in charge of  
Mrs. M. C. Cook, who will be assisted by  
eighteen young ladies of Winchester.  
Hot supper of regular courses, price 50  
cents, will be served every evening from  
5:30 to 7:30 o'clock, which will be largely  
patronized by our business men.  
All the arrangements have been made  
to insure a first class fair in every depart-  
ment.  
The following list of committees in  
charge will indicate the character of the  
affair:

**ORGANIZATION.**  
Abijah Thompson, Chairman,  
G. S. Littlefield, Secretary,  
E. H. Stone, Asst. Secy.,  
C. H. Dunham, Auditor.  
Arrangement of rooms and tables.—A.  
Thompson, F. A. Patch, C. H. Dunham,  
G. S. Littlefield, H. C. Miller, J. D.  
Twombly, J. H. Dwinell.  
Preparation of tables.—C. H. Dupe, T.  
Norman, A. C. Taylor, A. P. Palmer, C.  
Littlefield.  
Printing, presents and tickets.—N. F.  
Marble, B. S. Briggs, R. C. Metcalf, T.  
S. Spurr, H. C. Miller.  
Reception, care and distribution of  
goods.—[Same as printing].  
Conveyance, express and collections.—  
D. B. Winn, Chairman; Mrs. D. B. Winn,  
President; Mrs. A. E. Ayer, Cashier;  
Mrs. R. C. Hawes, Asst. Cash.; A. E.  
Ayer, R. C. Hawes, Assistants.  
Music.—C. L. Harrington, R. C. Met-  
calf, J. C. Johnson.  
Speakers.—F. O. Prince, S. J. Elder, J.  
C. Johnson, J. T. Wilson, William Park-  
man, A. B. Coffin, G. Cooke, A. K. P.  
Joy.  
Children's afternoon.—R. C. Metcalf, J.  
C. Johnson, D. W. Kimball, C. E. Sweet,  
N. F. Marble, E. Robinson, C. H. Dun-  
ham.  
Auctioneers.—J. T. Wilson, C. E. Sweet,  
N. F. Marble.  
Amusements.—J. F. Marble, B. S. Briggs,  
T. S. Spurr, W. V. Smalley, J. H.  
Dwinell.  
Reception.—D. N. Skilleas, S. J. Elder,  
J. C. Mason, A. B. Coffin, J. R. Cobb, J.  
T. Wilson, J. F. Dwinell, C. E. Sweet.  
Passport, insurance, and ticket agency  
—G. W. Spurr, Chairman; Miss Mary  
Carter, President; Miss Mary Spurr,  
Cashier; Miss Mary Hooper, Miss Grace  
Carter, Assistants.  
The Meteor.—G. S. Littlefield, Editor;  
G. Cooke, R. C. Metcalf, Assistants.  
Newspaper and periodical stand.—R. C.  
Metcalf, Chairman; Mrs. R. C. Metcalf,  
President; Mrs. G. S. Littlefield, Cashier;  
Miss Jennie Metcalf, Miss Mamie Met-  
calf, Assistants.  
Post-Office.—G. F. Brown, Postmaster;  
Mrs. G. F. Brown, Asst. P. M.; Miss  
Emma C. Richardson, Cash.; G. F.  
Parker, J. H. Woods, Assistants.  
Weigher and measurers.—E. H. Stone,  
W. and M. M. Miss Anna Stone, Asst. W.  
and M.; Miss Jennie Stone, Cashier.  
Voting lists.—E. A. Wadleigh, Chair-  
man; Mrs. E. A. Wadleigh, Pres.; Mrs.  
Georgia D. Merrill, Cashier; J. C. John-  
son, Geo. Cooke, Assistants.

## An International Peace Council.

It is quite consistent that out of the  
modern Athens there should come a  
plan for universal peace much like  
that which was aimed to abolish war  
in ancient Greece.  
The American Peace society, with  
headquarters in Boston, has petitioned  
the great and general court of Massa-  
chusetts to request the congress of the  
United States to authorize the presi-  
dent to invite the governments of the  
world to join in establishing a regular  
international congress—that is, a con-  
vention which shall resemble in cer-  
tain respects The Hague conference  
of three years ago, but which shall  
convene at certain specified times, say  
once in five or seven years, and at  
some definite place of meeting.  
What is proposed is practically an  
amplification and modernization of  
the amphictyonic councils of ancient  
Greece, whose essential purpose was  
to maintain amity between the various  
states of the Hellenic league. It will  
be recalled that the representatives in  
the Delphic amphictyony agreed under  
oath if war must occur—and the Greeks  
seemed to consider that in certain dis-  
putes no other settlement was possi-  
ble—the amphictyons would not destroy  
any amphictyonic town, turn away its  
running waters either in time of war  
or in time of peace and would not sell  
as slaves the inhabitants of a conquered  
city.  
The underlying idea of the Peace so-  
ciety's proposition is that the time has  
come in the history of the world when  
it is possible for the great governments  
to act together with more certainty  
and regularity than have up to this  
time been thought possible. At rela-  
tively short intervals public opinion  
in different countries calls for the con-  
vening of conferences to adjust mat-  
ters of difference between the various  
nations or to provide improved sys-  
tems of international intercourse.  
Instead of trusting these forward move-  
ments in civilization to such sporadic  
efforts as an occasional peace congress  
like that of The Hague, it is urged that  
there should be established some perma-  
nent system in which all tendencies  
making toward the peace of the world  
and the general improvement of its

## DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

**Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.**  
Almost everybody who reads the news-  
papers is sure to know of the wonderful  
cures made by Dr.  
Kilmer's Swamp-Root,  
the great kidney, liver  
and bladder remedy.  
It is the great medi-  
cal triumph of the nine-  
teenth century, dis-  
covered after years of  
scientific research by  
Dr. Kilmer, the emi-  
nent kidney and blad-  
der specialist, and is  
wonderfully successful in promptly curing  
lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid trou-  
bles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst  
form of kidney trouble.  
Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not rec-  
ommended for everything but if you have kid-  
ney, liver or bladder trouble, it will be found  
just the remedy you need. It has been tested  
in so many ways, in hospital work, in private  
practice, among the helpless too poor to pur-  
chase the great Swamp-Root, and how to find  
out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.  
When writing mention reading this generous  
offer in this paper and  
send your address to  
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Inc.,  
215 N. Y. The  
regular fifty cent bottle of Swamp-Root,  
which size is sold by all good druggists.  
Don't make any mistake, but remember  
the name, Swamp-Root. Dr. Kilmer's  
Swamp-Root, and the address, Bingham-  
ton, N. Y., on every bottle.

**March 8 In History.**  
1708—Simon Cameron, statesman, born in Lancaster county, Pa.; died 1892.  
1841—Karl Johann Bernadotte, French soldier and king of Sweden, born 1784.  
1863—Famous naval encounter in Hampton road, The Confederates, D. H. Strother, ironclad ram Merrimack played havoc with the wooden Union fleet.  
1867—Hens Ward Beecher died in Brooklyn; born in Litchfield, Conn., 1813.  
1868—General David Hunter Strother (Port Gray) in Charleston, W. Va.; born 1816.  
1883—John Ericsson, builder of the Monitor and not inventor, died in New York.  
1891—Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher died at Stamford, Conn.; born 1800.  
1901—Hon. Christopher L. Magee, noted politician, financier and philanthropist of Pittsburgh, died at Harrisburg; born 1848.

**March 9 In History.**  
1759—Dr. Joseph Franz Gail, author of the system of phrenology, born in 1728.  
Dr. Gail was a native of Baden. After studying natural sciences he practiced as a physician in Vienna. He devoted much time to the study of the brain and to the external signs of the functions and faculties of the human mind. With his pupil and coadjutor, Spurzheim, he propagated his new doctrines in the principal cities of Europe. He published in 1819-20 the work entitled "The Anatomy and Physiology of the Nervous System in General and of the Brain in Particular."  
1796—Isaac Hull, American naval hero, born in Dorby, Conn.; died 1845.  
1820—Edwin Forrest, actor, born in Philadelphia; died 1872.  
1838—Frederick William von Hohenzollern, Emperor William I, died; born 1797.  
1890—Hon. E. J. Phelps, formerly United States minister Great Britain and a noted scholar, died at New Haven; born 1822.

**March 10 In History.**  
1845—Alexander III, czar of Russia, born in 1845; died 1894.  
1896—Duke de Morny, friend of Louis Napoleon and a statesman of the second empire, died at Paris; born 1812.  
1872—Giuseppe (Joseph) Mazzini, Italian revolutionist, died at Pisa; born 1805. Mazzini studied law and early devoted himself to plans for the liberation of Italy from the despotism of Austria and petty tyrants. He joined the Carbonari, and being prohibited from entering the army, he joined the army of Mazzini and London. He soon became the recognized head of the Young Italy movement, co-operated with Garibaldi, fomented insurrections, and in the course of his labors, though misunderstood by many of his contemporaries, played great sagacity and practical wisdom.  
1886—George Muller, English philanthropist, died in London; born 1805. General K. L. Thomas, noted ex-Confederate, died in Oklahoma.  
1899—Sir Douglas Galton, noted scientist and authority on sanitation, died in London; born 1832.

**March 11 In History.**  
1721—Robert Treat Paine, "signer," born in Boston; died there 1814.  
1829—Benjamin West, American painter, died in London; born in Pennsylvania.  
1883—Alexander Mikhailovich Gortschakov, Russian prince and statesman, died in 1898.  
1874—Charles Sumner, statesman, died in Washington; born in Boston 1811.  
1897—Professor Henry Drummond, noted author, died at Tunbridge Wells, England; born 1827.  
1899—General William Stark Rosecrans, a noted soldier of the western army, died at Los Angeles; born 1824.

**March 12 In History.**  
1813—John Lorimer Worden, rear admiral U. S. N., died in Washington, D. C.; born in New York.  
Worden commanded the Merrimack in Hampton Roads.  
1829—Thomas Buchanan Read, poet, born in Chester county, Pa.; died in 1892.  
1888—"The Blizzard" prevailed in the north Atlantic states. The severest storm of modern times. A heavy snowstorm preceded by freezing rain and driven by a violent nor'wester blacked railroads down, telegraph lines and in a few hours impeded travel so that people could not reach their homes when separated from them by only a few miles.  
1895—John Lee Davis, rear admiral U. S. N., retired, died in Washington; born in Carlisle, Ind., 1825.  
1905—Ex-Governor John Peter Altgeld of Illinois died in 1905. Kyankari, Asia Minor, destroyed by an earthquake, 3,500 houses wrecked.

**March 13 In History.**  
1861—Birth of Esther Johnson, noted unfortunately as Dean Swift's "Stella," died 1821.  
1845—Birth of Joseph II., famous emperor of Germany; died 1790. Joseph II. was the second ruler of the Hapsburg-Lorraine dynasty and was a liberal monarch and introduced many civil and ecclesiastical reforms, but his methods being radical in the extreme, provoked revolts.  
1867—Cession of Russian America to the United States.  
1871—Miss Bonaparte-Wyse, daughter of Lucien Bonaparte, died; born 1811.  
1891—Alexander II. of Russia assassinated; born 1819; crowned 1855.  
1901—Benjamin Harrison, twenty-third president of the United States, died at Indianapolis; born 1833.  
1902—General David Sloan Stanley, U. S. A., retired, noted veteran of the civil war, died in Washington; born 1820.

Pedro Martinez of New York says he lost \$30,000 betting on horse races during the past year. Evidently Mr. Martinez has met a lot of people who know a good thing when they see it.

With Prince Cupid running for congressional delegate, the campaign in Hawaii ought to be lively and entertaining, and there should be no doubt as to the result.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

**LESSON X, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 8.**  
Text of the Lesson, Acts xii, 19-20.  
Memory Verses, 19-20—Golden Text, Acts xii, 17—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.  
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13. 14. We adjure you by Jesus, whom Paul preacheth.  
Thus the unbelievers, though professedly priests of God, used that beautiful name as if it was a charm or carried with it some magic spell that any one could use, like people who now say concerning Jesus, "I'll try Him and see if He will do anything for me. He is to be known and trusted, who has heartily received and relied upon, for He is worthy and true and faithful, the living God. He is not to be treated as people treat a patient medicine-try and see if it will do you good, but because He is indeed the only Saviour of sinners and the Judge of all mankind He is to be honestly received as such.  
15. 16. And the evil spirit answered and said: Jesus I know, and Paul I know, but who are ye?  
These Jews had called the name of the Lord Jesus over a man possessed with an evil spirit, relating and opposing Paul's sermon, and the man came to Egypt withstood Moses, but God permitted the evil spirit to rebuke them and by the man possessed by the spirit to overcome them and cause them to flee from the house naked and wounded. It could hardly be possible that they would ever again attempt to play tricks with that holy name. What shall be said of those who now use that sacred name in every thoughtless and evil way? And because no judgment falls upon them they wax worse and worse (Eccl. viii, 11).  
17. And this was known to the Jews and Greeks also dwelling at Ephesus, and fear fell on them all, and the name of the Lord Jesus was magnified.  
In verses 8 to 19 we read that Paul continued at Ephesus over two years, not without much opposition, but also with marked results to the glory of God. In verses 11 and 12 we read of special miracles to confirm and glorify the gospel message, and now through the devil's own children the name of Jesus is magnified. In his letter to the Philippians Paul said: "Some indeed preach Christ even of envy and strife and some also of good will. The one preach the gospel of contention, not sincerely, supposing to add affliction to my bonds, but the other of love, knowing that I am set for the defense of the gospel." Yet Paul said that as long as Christ was preached, whether in pretense or in truth, he would rejoice (Phil. i, 15-18). The "evil things" of Rom. viii, 28, must include the opposition of the devil as well as the manifest blessing of God, and whatever He permits the adversary to do must in some way be overruled for His glory, the highest good of His people and the hastening of His kingdom.  
18. And many that believed came and confessed and shewed their deeds.  
While salvation is wholly of grace through faith, where faith is real there will be good works manifest as an evidence before men of the faith that is in the heart before God (Eph. ii, 10; Tit. iii, 8, 9). The faith that is not manifest in works cannot be a living faith. Not any amount of works on our part, however good or great, can save us, but being saved by His grace, we are enabled to do good things received by us, having come to live in us, must work out the salvation which He has wrought in us (Phil. ii, 13; Heb. xii, 21). Hearers who are not doers are only self-deceivers (Matt. vii, 20, 27; Jas. i, 22).  
19. Many of them also used curious arts brought their books together and burned them before all men, and they counted the price of them and found it 50,000 pieces of silver.  
What an illustration of "unto you, therefore, which believe He is precious" (1 Pet. ii, 7). So precious had the Lord Jesus become to them that things which were before of much value now seemed worthless and were at once committed to the flames lest they might enslave and injure others. Their affections were now on things above, not on things on the earth (Col. iii, 2). Like Paul, they could testify "what things were gained to us as we were counted lost for Christ" (Phil. iii, 7). This bonfire cost perhaps \$10,000 and was a glorious triumph for Christ over the adversary. It was like the victory on Mount Carmel over the priests of Baal. The day will come when the things which were before of much value now seemed worthless and were at once committed to the flames lest they might enslave and injure others. Their affections were now on things above, not on things on the earth (Col. iii, 2). 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## Italy and American Immigration.

Though this country has had more than one unpleasant complication with Italy over the alleged ill treatment of its citizens in the United States, it is apparent that the Italian government thinks this is a desirable place for them to live. So at least it may be inferred from the remarkable announcement coming from Rome to the effect that the Italian premier has given his approval to a plan for the expenditure of \$200,000 a year from the public funds for the education of Neapolitans and Sicilians intending to emigrate to the United States, who if allowed to start as they are would be turned back from American ports of entry.

The plan, if carried out, will be a very good thing for the intending Italian emigrants and a good thing for the United States if they come here, but after Italy has gone to the expense of making her sons good enough for her, why does she not take measures to keep them at home?

Old as she is, Italy still has undeveloped resources, and she is by no means overworked with intelligent and instructed laborers and artisans. No country can have too many of this sort of citizens, and none can fail to be weakened by their immigration. However, that is none of our concern. If it wants to hasten the departure of her sons and do something at government expense toward fitting them for American citizenship, we need not complain.

A Long Island City (N. Y.) burglar recently looted a house of all he could carry and then went back for a pale blue sofa pillow that he was quite sure would please his wife. This was very thoughtful on the part of the burglar, but it proved his undoing. He was captured and will be sent where sofa pillows, pale blue or otherwise, are unknown. The incident is referred to as showing the danger of exercising aesthetic taste and marital devotion in the successful practice of the burglary profession.

If the coal carrying companies, which are also coal producers, are sincere in their expressed desire to relieve the fuel famine in the centers of population, why do they not give their own coal the right of way over that of the independent producers?

Mary A. Livermore says that she never knew a woman who drank. Mrs. Livermore is to be congratulated upon the character of her circle of acquaintances, though it would appear to be somewhat limited.

Evidently Mascagni is not one of the foreign musicians who will linger at the gangplank to tell the reporters how much they regret leaving America.

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In December of last year I was completely used up with Dyspepsia and General Debility, and went South hoping to recover my health, but returned in February not at all improved. I was induced to try Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic, and now after using one bottle I am entirely well.—T. R. LAVERGNE, 871 Second St., St. Louis.

I consider Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic the best of spring medicines. My stomach was giving me much trouble, and being unable to eat as I should I lost much flesh and felt poorly. A little over one bottle of Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic cured my stomach and made me entirely well.—MONTGOMERY BROWNE, Wakefield, Mass.

About a year ago I was asked to try Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic, as I was suffering from Indigestion and General Debility. I found it useful when I needed, as it cured me in a short time.—JAMES GARRIE, 64 Walker St., Charlestown.

I have been troubled with Nervousness and Fainting Spells after eating, also with General Debility for a year or so. Since taking Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic I

do not have any of the above mentioned troubles. My appetite is improved, and I feel better than I have for a number of years.—W. H. COE, Chief, Union Square Hotel, Somerville.

Two years ago I was very much run down, and so weak that I was unable to move about. My blood was so poor I lost my color entirely, and had little hope of getting better. Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic made surprising headway from the start, and three bottles left me strong and well.—KITTIE SPENCER, 59 Cottage St., Hyde Park.

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Indigestion—A bad case.—Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic cured me.—S. T. PARKER, 1212 Pleasant St., Boston.

Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic has given me great relief in a bad case of Nervousness and Dyspepsia.—C. L. LINDSEY, Boston.

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## Marconi's Latest Triumph.

The degree of perfection to which Signor Marconi has brought his system of wireless telegraphy was illustrated the other day in the sending of sixty-four words across the Atlantic to King Edward of England.

The wireless message was sent between Weymouth, on Cape Cod, and Foulden, on the Cornish coast of England. In accomplishing this feat Marconi has surprised himself as well as the rest of the world, as it has been the general impression that his transmitters and receivers had a longer apprenticeship to serve before so elaborate messages could be vibrated through 3,000 miles of quivering ether.

One can scarcely realize the significance of this announcement, about the truth of which there can be no doubt. Before the full consummation of this feat the mind of man passed in strides over space—in strides only, since cables must painfully be laid beneath the sea and poles and wires slowly erected over mountains and jungles before the message could be transmitted. Now the message asks for no touch with ether; it flies at man's will.

It is not over seas alone that wireless messages are to be sent. Already the Cape to Cairo railway people are preparing to jump the African jungles by the wireless methods. Messages from our new bonanza fields of Alaska will leap the icy deserts of the arctic by the same means.

Truly, the world seems to be on the threshold of a prodigious scientific triumph, which promises to revolutionize the transmission of intelligence throughout the earth.

Though rather late in coming, there is to be a Henry Ward Beecher memorial, a prominent Brooklyn man having pledged \$10,000 for that purpose, to which other generous subscriptions are being added. It is to be in the nature of a Beecher museum. The idea is a simple white marble house near Plymouth church, 30 by 50 feet, an option having already been obtained on the ground. One purpose is to remove the body of Beecher to the spot, on the theory that his dust should be there. The successor of Beecher, Dr. Hille, wants to have the memorial of Beecher to occur and erect above the tomb a memorial room, with his portraits, his manuscripts, his old pulpit and chairs, his writing desk, the manuscript of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," Lyman Beecher's old pulpit from which he preached the sermon "On 'Decline'" after the death of Hamilton and the five sermons on "Intemperance," with everything related to the career of Henry Ward Beecher in Brooklyn.

Richard Cutter became a member of the Orthodox Church at Cambridge in full communion. In 1843, he was made a member of the Artillery Company. This association was formed in 1671, and was the first regularly organized military company in America. It still exists under the name and title of the "Ancient and Honorable Artillery" of Boston, and has the present month, had the honor of entertaining its English guests of a similar name.

In 1844, Richard Cutter married Elizabeth Williams daughter of Robert Williams, of Roxbury. She died in 1863, and her tombstone is one of the oldest standing in the old burying ground at Cambridge. In 1863, he married widow Frances Amden. He became the father of fourteen children, and the ancestor of the Cutter family of New England.

His last residence was in Menotomy. This was the West Parish, or Second Precinct, of Cambridge. It was incorporated into a separate town in February, 1807, by the name of West Cambridge, and on April 30, 1867, the name was changed to Arlington. Richard Cutter died in 1863, at the age of 71, and his grave is still to be seen in the burying place at old Cambridge, Wilder and the marble obelisk of Livermore, Wilder and Gershon.

Gershon Cutter, (2) the sixth child of the preceding, was born in Cambridge in 1653, and married Lydia Hall, in 1677. He served as a soldier in the Narragansett war in 1675; and was in the noted "Swamp fight" and endured the hardships of that memorable campaign.

He was a farmer, and lived in Menotomy, near the place called the "Foot of the Rocks." In 1721 he was admitted a member of the church at Cambridge. He died in 1728, at the age of 85; and his grave is still to be seen in the burying place at Arlington. He had four children, among whom was one son, named also Gershon.

Gershon Cutter (3) was born in 1679, and married Elizabeth Abbott, in 1701. He united with the church, by baptism, in 1702. He lived on his father's place, at the "Foot of the Rocks." In 1747, in company with his neighbor, Francis Locke, he went one Sunday from Cambridge to Newton, to attend religious services; and they were fined thirty shillings each for breaking the Sabbath. This fine was afterwards remitted and the sentence revoked. He was the father of twelve children. He died in 1753, at the age of 74.

His second son, Gershon Cutter, (4) was born January 13, 1703, and was baptized January 23, 1703. He married Anna Pillsbury, in 1728. He was a miller, and lived near his father's residence in Menotomy. He had eleven children, and died in 1777, being seventy-four years of age.

John Cutter, (5) the fifth child of the preceding, was born in Menotomy in 1737. He married Rebecca Hall, in 1765, who was the grand-daughter of Dea. John Cutter, the founder and first Deacon of the church in the Second Precinct, now Arlington. He became a miller, and removed to Medford, where he owned a grist-mill, afterwards occupied by his son, Gershon. He had a family of ten children. He died in Medford on Oct. 16, 1788, at the age of 51.

John Cutter (6) was the third child of the preceding, and was born in Menotomy on July 26, 1770. He married Mary Hall, the daughter of Stephen and Mary (Hill) Hall, of Medford on Jan. 15, 1792. After the death of his father, in 1788, he took charge of the grist-mill in Medford. In the year 1801, he went to the West Indies

## TOWN HISTORY.

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## PART VV

BY THE LATE DAVID YOUNGMAN, M. D.

The origin of the name of Cutter as a family patronymic or surname, is somewhat obscure; though it arose probably from some person or family who followed a particular guild or trade, such as a cutter of clothing or of diamonds. But whatever may have been the origin of the name, it is quite certain that the early home of the Cutters, prior to their settlement in this country, was Newcastle-upon-Tyne. This was an ancient city and river-port, and the capital of Northumberland county, England.

It was situated on the left bank of the Tyne, about eight miles from its mouth, and once a walled town, and was called Foss Aelii, from a bridge built over the river, by the Emperor Adrian. It must have been a place of considerable importance, even at an early date. Its present population is upwards of 100,000; and it has a large export trade, consisting principally of coal and coke; there being over three million tons exported annually.

Soon after the settlement of Boston, in 1630, the tide of emigration to New England set in quite rapidly. Among those early pioneers was Richard Cutter, who came to this country about the year 1640, with his wife and two children, and settled in Cambridge, Mass. He was probably about twenty years of age, and was unmarried.

Stephen Cutter, (1) the subject of this sketch, was the third child of the preceding, and was born in Medford, Mass., October 22, 1797, and in about twelve hours after the second and successful attempt to launch the first iron ship, the Constitution at Charlestown Navy Yard on Oct. 21, 1797; the first attempt having been made a month previous on Sept. 20, 1797.

He attended school, a few years in his native town, and obtained a limited knowledge of the ordinary branches of English literature. He was educated at the three "R's." His study of grammar closed after a perusal of it for about three weeks. His father having so many children to support, and so many duties to perform, he was obliged to put his children to work at an age when many other children were attending school.

When Stephen was fifteen years old, there were eight other children in the family, and he being the eldest, with the exception of one, was required when quite young to assist his father in his various employments. Besides his frequent duties of the old grist mill, which his father still carried on, he assisted in his clothing and other business, and in the packing of barrels with fish, for transportation down the Mystic river to Boston.

In 1810, his father also purchased the "Richardson Mill" at South Woburn, afterwards called "Cuttersville," he removed thither with his entire family. And for many years afterwards he was from that time onward, and for many years, busily employed in a continuous and almost increasing round of duties in the mill.

Having been brought up to habits of business, and to the cares and responsibilities of the same, and with a large degree of success.

He early manifested a taste for practical mechanics, and his increasing skill and years and opportunities, he became a skillful mechanic, especially in his own manufacturing.

This was the advantage which he derived from his father's business, and this, with the fact that he was rather a favorite of his father, was one reason why he was preferred to his brothers in the family.

He early evinced a desire for a seafaring life, and finally became a shipmaster, and was engaged in trade with the West Indies.

In 1822 Stephen Cutter removed to North Chelsea, and in company with his brother Andrew, took charge of the mill, which had been built there in 1817.

He managed the same successfully for about five years. His father dying in 1825, this property was sold to Andrew, and in 1827 Stephen returned to South Woburn, and resumed the management of the old Richardson mill. After the settlement of his father's estate in 1829, Stephen and his brother Henry became the owners of this property, which they proved in partnership, for about twenty years.

This mill was originally built for grinding grain, but the mill was water power, and was not needed for that purpose. The brothers introduced machinery for picking and carding wool. This was made into a separate building, on the old fashioned spinning wheel, and the mill was afterwards repaired and machinery for spinning leather. The knives were forged by John Francis and Deacon N. B. Johnson, of South Woburn, and the mill was afterwards sold to the late Mr. Charles Hall, who was a partner in the firm of S. & H. Cutter & Co., which continued, prosperously, for about ten years.

In 1840, the mill was destroyed by fire, but being rebuilt immediately, and somewhat enlarged, it was again put into operation, and continued to be occupied for the same purposes. The uncle, Amos, Samuel, retired from the firm at that time, and Stephen and Henry continued to manage the mill, and the same year, Richardson Clark was admitted under the name and title of S. & H. Cutter & Co. Charles Hall was admitted to the firm in 1854, and remained three or four years.

In 1849, Henry Cutter sold his interest in the mill property to his brother Stephen, and retired from the firm, and his name was changed to Cutter & Co. In 1856, the old grist mill was taken out and sold and removed from town, after a varied life of about twenty years and ten. At the close of the same year, 1856, Stephen Cutter retired from the firm, and from active business, and the same of the firm was again changed to Cutter, Clark & Co.

Stephen Cutter remained in active business, until he was nearly sixty years of age; and deducting a few years, for infancy and youth, it may be truly said, that he was engaged in the active, and much of the time, arduous duties of life,

for more than half a century! And when he finally resigned his business to his son and son-in-law, they were ready to recognize his long and varied career, and to give him the credit of a successful and successful business man, and in all matters pertaining to the mill and its machinery, to be of inestimable value.

In the summer of 1875, Stephen Cutter, at about the age of twenty, united with the Orthodox Church at Woburn, then under the pastoral care of the Rev. J. O. Chittenden. He at once took a decided stand, and became interested in the prosperity of the church and parish. He was present at all its meetings, and was ready to bear his part in prayer and praise, and in every laudable way labored for the highest good of the society in which he lived.

And when it was believed that the interests of the church and parish, the town, demanded a new church organization, for their better accommodation, Mr. Cutter was among the foremost in encouraging the movement, and labored earnestly in establishing the new society at South Woburn. His name stands second among twenty others who signed the petition for the erection of a new church, and he was one of the first to be admitted from the parent church at Woburn, in order to accomplish this object. And his is the fourth name among the signers of the petition, and the first of the new church, which was organized on Nov. 2, 1850, for the same purpose.

And after the new society had been formed, and the first services commenced, his interest in its welfare. In all the expenses incident to the new enterprise, and in building the new house of worship, he was ever ready to contribute his time, but of his money. And when any needed object, domestic or foreign, had been brought to his attention, which he believed to be worthy, he was equally liberal and public spirited.

Mr. Cutter had from childhood a passionate fondness for vocal and instrumental music. He also at an early age manifested a taste for playing on the violin. Having purchased a good instrument at West Cambridge for the sum of \$25, he spent all his leisure moments in its practice. He finally obtained skill and proficiency on the same, that he joined the orchestra of the choir at Woburn in 1871, at about the same time that he united with the church.

He became a constant attendant at all meetings of the church and society, and also at social gatherings, where music was expected and required. Common report said that his violin always came from its case in time and ready for use. At all such meetings he took the lead—selecting the tunes—and directing the music, with his violin. He could also, when necessary, sing as well as play, and did so frequently in his younger days, but in his later years he generally depended upon his violin, on public occasions.

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## Courtesy in Debate.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I feel that the uncalled for and discourteous remarks thrown at Mr. Wallace Whitney, by our usually amiable Town Counsel in the closing session of his remarks at the town meeting last Monday evening, should be rebuked. The allegation that the town would or should proceed to erect a school house which would endure until "after the memory of the Governor and his petty vices have been forgotten" was an ill-advised and unparliamentary statement, as referring to our Chief Executive Magistrate.

Town Council in his opening welcomed any honest criticism of the town officials, but deprecated any style of debate, and couched the remark with the threat of annual contributions to a sinking fund, or parliamentary lines there would be plenty of trouble. The applause which greeted this sentiment showed the approval of the audience, and he then offered the above quoted statement, as the course of the Governor, and in a place where the latter could not reply.

I am sorry that not one of the "forty representatives" of the town, who were present at a recent dinner party, and who happened to be present, saw any impropriety in such a remark, or at any rate did not make any disapproval.

As to the fiscal policy, established by the Legislature, requiring towns to make provision for paying their debts either by annual contributions to a sinking fund, or by annual proportionate payments of the debt, there may be ground for complaint, but that complaint should be directed to the Legislature, and not to the town officials. If the latter had given his approval to the Act referred to in your editorial columns of last week, as containing an endorsement of the policy of the Legislature, he would have been given on the ground that our town was unable to meet the financial requirements exacted from other towns under general laws. It seems incredible that any individual could in his self-exaltation for one moment believe that the Governor's action was in the slightest degree influenced by the vote of a small minority in this town more than three years ago, as was intimated by your correspondent last week.

HENRY F. JOHNSON.

## A Friend of the Poor Man.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I notice with pleasure the eulogy in your last issue by a "McKay Working-man" on Mr. Tuck. Will he be kind enough to inform us what Mr. Tuck has ever done for the poor man, the sick, the young maidens or widows, that should entitle him to the consideration of the voters of this town. Was it for his wonderful financial ability that he offered himself as a judge of other people's property?

As to Henry, he is a valuable man to the town, (a pointer) saving the town discussions, for as soon as he expresses an opinion everyone knows on which side he ought to vote.

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## Cigarettes May Smoke out Stoneham School.

C. E. Stevens, superintendent of the schools of Stoneham, is quoted as saying that out of the 530 boys in the schools of that town, 70 are known to smoke cigarettes openly, while 50 more undoubtedly smoke, but not openly.

He claims the saloon will be in Stoneham. He is not certain but it is best to oblige boys to give up cigarettes or give up school, as it is useless to try to educate boys who are addicted to the habit. He says the boys smokers are rapidly increasing, and a boy is physically, mentally and morally doomed to destruction so long as the cigarette habit is upon him. Sup. Stevens thinks a meeting once a month to consider civic righteousness would be a proper thing. These remarks were made in connection with an appeal for a no license vote at the March meeting.

## Public Appropriation for Private Work.

In all this hue and cry for appropriation to destroy the gypsy and brown broidered race, there are one who are doing anything to protect his own trees? Individual calls upon the city, the city calls upon the state for an appropriation, and the state looks to the national government for aid. Men who would cry out to ask bread and butter from the city, cry out for public money to protect their grass and trees. So long as people neglect their own property, they depend upon public money, the moth will remain and flourish.—[Melrose Journal.]

## Danger of Colds and Grip.

The greatest danger from colds and grip is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for the past few years have yet to learn of a single case resulting in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventative of that dangerous disease. It will cure a cold or an attack of the grip in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Young & Brown.

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Selections Leland, as good as he knows the ropes will make a good business selection and "warm things up in town."

The new high school building will be a valuable asset to Winchester 50 years from now. The statement that the best of its life will be only 20 years, is to do an injustice to the people who have the erection of the building in charge.

The adjournment of the annual town meeting will take place next Monday evening. There are 20 articles yet remaining to be passed upon, many of them calling for large appropriations of money. It is the duty of all citizens to attend this meeting.

The town will do well to fight shy of agitating the abolition of the grade crossing at the center as long as possible, as it is not only a major expense, but a possible complete change in present conditions at the center, and no doubt to its detriment.

"The work that is being done in town today is far in excess of what was done in the past and is bringing about a higher quality of living. Our schools are better than any in surrounding towns, and in other matters Winchester is in the lead."

There was no need of a second passage of the school house loan vote at the Town Meeting Monday evening. The meeting was held under the certified warrant as was the town clerk and not the copy held by the Moderator. Congress and a important deliberative bodies do the same thing as was done here Monday evening, and no previous Moderator was used different from what Mr. Rich did.

There is one man that the town is to be congratulated on having his services, and that man is Mr. Charles T. Main of the Water Board. But it is not alone on this board that Mr. Main shines to advantage, but also in other positions that call for deep thought and far reaching and beneficial results. Modest and unobtrusive, this gentleman is doing a great deal for Winchester that does not come to the attention of the people, but which is bound to later on.

The Special Town Meeting.

The real work of the special town meeting held last Monday evening was accomplished with praiseworthy promptness, dignity and unanimity. This was as it should be. The issue at stake was to take action on the proposed High School loan. As the town could not well stultify itself, there was only one thing to do and that was, of course, to vote to sustain its own action. As a matter of pride, all good citizens hoped for an unanimous vote—and they got it. We were not surprised to hear a few good natured flingers at the Governor's veto. Under all circumstances, the citizens of good repute are wont to respect the office of the chief executive of our State even if they do not entertain a profound respect for the man who may occupy the chair for a year or two. Except for this traditional respect for the office, we should probably have been entertained with a series of sarcastic remarks and cynical gibes which would not have been in harmony with the dignity of one of our town meetings. Now that the matter of the school loan appears to be settled once for all, the STAR is disposed to shake hands with itself that the predictions from start to finish have been fulfilled to the letter.

Town Meeting Echoes.

EDITOR OF THE STAR.

The last town meeting was quite exciting at times, but before the final adjournment, settled quietude reigned. I was surprised to hear our learned town counsel dictate to the meeting as to the kind of speeches that must be made, and was also surprised to hear him criticize the Governor as he did. I cannot believe that the Governor was unduly influenced by any action taken by the two citizens referred to by Mr. Joy, and I believe that all our citizens feel that the Governor's veto was wise and just, and that they all feel that the motion passed at the meeting to pay \$1000 a year was quite equitable for the first one. The tilt between H. L. and the Moderator was quite amusing, but I believe now J. was in the right; the protest was warranted, and if the Moderator had not been so impulsive and insistent considerable time would have been saved. I have watched Mr. J. for several years and he usually knows what he is talking about.

CITIZEN.

Thanks.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I desire, through your paper, to thank the Ginn, Parkhurst School book publishing company, for several volumes of interesting reading, also a very interesting and instructive geographical atlas of the world, embracing all that is new in geography and topography, agricultural and mineral products, alphabetically arranged, and pictorially illustrated.

I shall later, notice these books more fully.

N. A. RICHARDSON.

Winchester, March 10, 1933.

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Newspaper Paragraphs.  
Aberjona Council, Royal Arcanum, is to have another enjoyable evening on Tuesday, March 17, when two candidates are to be initiated. There will be good music, the orator will have something catchy to offer and refreshments will be served. All of which is sufficient to ensure a very good time. Particulars will also be given of a visitation to Lowell Council on Thursday evening, March 19. A flash light picture of those present will be taken by Mrs. Cogan.

Mr. Will H. Wiley of Wakefield has arranged with the Winchester Canoe Club for a series of canoe sailing races.

Many of our school teachers occupied seats in the gallery at the town hall Monday evening and showed much interest in the subject under debate.

Congressman McCall arrived home from Washington last week.

Mr. Chester Knox of Cripple Creek, Col., son of Mr. Warren Knox, was home on a short visit this week, he was coming on a business trip. Mr. Knox, who is a mining engineer and works at an altitude of 3000 feet, did not like our March weather.

The fire engineers placed an order Monday with the Amoskeag Locomotive Works to repair the steamer. While the work is being done the company will provide the town with a steamer free of charge.

Mr. Michael Kenney of Lake Ave. is at the Mass. Gen. Hospital where he is being treated for heart disease. Mr. Kenney, who has for two years been employed by the Park Commission will recover and he expects to leave for home in a few days.

The trouble in regard to procuring a house home on the west side is that no one wants it near his or her residence.

Many look upon the gasometer on Church street as being an eyesore. But when would it not be looked on as such on a business trip. Mr. Knox, who is a mining engineer and works at an altitude of 3000 feet, did not like our March weather.

The Cemetery Commissioners believe the town will make a mistake if it does not purchase the strip of land adjoining the cemetery which they recommend. The land may not be needed as much at the present time for Cemetery purposes as it will in the future for the protection of the cemetery which they recommend. The Commissioners who have the future of the Cemetery at heart, and have studied into the matter, ought to be considered.

Every week the STAR demonstrates the value of newspaper piracies as a drawing card. [Woburn Journal.]

Mr. Thomas Hoyt of Forest street was taken down with the grippe last week.

It is pleasing to see Mr. Geo. A. Dupre again at his old post in McDonald's market. The genial George has had a trying season.

Baseball goods should be bought at "The Paper Store," headquarters for everything in the line of sporting goods. Golf, tennis and bicycle sundries also. 151 Main street, A. W. Knapp.

"A Box of Monkeys" April 15, Metcalf Hall.

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The game of basket ball played Tuesday evening at Malden by the second Malden Y. M. C. A. and second Winchester Y. M. C. A. team was won by the Winchester boys 37 to 5.

The market gardeners on "the hills" have had telephones put in, in order to be in ready communication with their customers.

Mr. Horace F. Fuller was one of the ushers at the Onthank-Pierce society wedding at the First Parish Church, West Roxbury, Tuesday.

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"Waterfall Lodge of Odd Fellows will give a ladies' night and entertainment on Monday evening, March 30. The number of tickets are limited, and they are now on sale.

The Indian spruce tendered the Odd Fellows by Mr. E. S. Barker Monday evening was largely attended and much enjoyed.

Mr. Alfred S. Kirby has been elected a deacon of the Congregational Church for the term of six years, succeeding Deacon Hamilton Parker who had acceptably and ably served for more than 27 years. The church has expressed by a unanimous vote its hearty appreciation of Mr. Kirby's services.

Mr. Parker's services. Mr. E. S. Kirby has been elected Assistant Superintendent of the Sunday school.

We were mightily cheered up last Friday afternoon by a friendly and social visit from our old and esteemed friend, and one of Winchester's leading citizens, Col. N. A. Richardson, who reported himself to the Journal as in sound physical, mental and spiritual condition which was fully corroborated by his hale and hearty looks. Years ago Gen. Richardson was a valued reader of the local historical sketches for the Journal, which he promised us, he would soon take up again and give the people some more early Woburn history. His storehouse of knowledge is filled to the rafters with it. [Woburn Journal.]

Some of the new books in the Circulating Library: The Life of William, a Christian Science Story; The Six Trees, by Mary E. Wilkins Freeman; The Strong Arm, by Robert Barr; On Saturn's Mount, by Dwight Linton; In the Garden of Charity, by Basil King; Love May, by Alice Hegan King; The Spenders, by Harry Leon Wilson; The Waning of Wistaria, by Onoto Watana; Richard Gordon, by Alexander Black; The Captain, by Churchill Williams; The Pit, by Frank Ramsey; Lady Rose's Daughters, by Mr. Humphrey Ward; at "The Paper Store," 151 Main street, 2 cents a day.

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is now going on which should interest EVERY housekeeper who reads this paper. In recently reorganizing this corporation a great deal of stock was taken over at prices so advantageous that we can, FOR THIS SALE, give our customers goods of the BEST QUALITY at the PRICE OF THE CHEAPEST. For example:

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### Music at the Calumet Club.

The Calumet Club has been holding quite a musical festival lately. On Friday, March 13th, the ladies of the club enjoyed a musical afternoon and tea. The concert was very successful and all the artists acquitted themselves well. They were: Miss L. M. Williams, soprano; Mr. C. C. Payson, baritone; Miss Edleison, reader; Miss Park, pianist and Mr. Arthur E. Whitney, pianola. Mrs. Wm. L. Palmer poured tea. The committee of arrangements were Mrs. Edleison, Mrs. Dr. Eaton and Mrs. Johnson. This entertainment was largely attended and was one of the best of the season.

On Saturday evening a pianola recital and smoke talk was held by the gentlemen of the club, Mr. Arthur E. Whitney being the "talkist" and "pianolist." Mr. Whitney briefly explained the mechanism of the pianola, showing it was a mechanical improvement on the mechanism of the piano, as the piano was an improvement on the spinnet and harp which preceded it. Selections were then given from the works of Beethoven, Weber-Liszt, Pacher, Mendelssohn, Sydney Smith, Chopin, Gottschalk and others. The concert was much enjoyed by the large number present, and much surprise was expressed that Mr. Whitney could play with so much expression and feeling with a mechanical apparatus, much of the music being of "the sweet and low" kind which would be worthless without expression. It seems it is the man "behind" the pianola which makes it properly expressive or not. The grand piano and the pianola used on the above occasions were furnished by the M. Steinert & Sons Co. through Mr. Whitney, free of expense to the club.

On Tuesday evening a musical hour was enjoyed by the ladies and gentlemen of the club, Mr. Louis C. Elson, the well known musical critic of Boston, giving an entertainment entitled "Songs and Legends of the Sea." His songs, proverbs, stories and, etc. were much enjoyed and many were of much historical importance. Mr. Elson played his own accompaniments on a parlor grand piano specially brought from Boston for the occasion. After the concert a social hour or two was spent in conversation and in partaking of a lunch beautifully prepared in the reception room of the club. This entertainment was largely attended, was very social and much enjoyed. It is hoped that more musical entertainments may follow. One of the pleasant social events of the evening was the presence of Hon. Samuel W. McCall and Mrs. McCall, members of the club, who cannot often attend club meetings. They received a warm impromptu reception from their many friends.

### Second Baptist Church Notes.

The Willing Workers Club held their meeting at 15 Winchester street at the home of Miss Mary V. Russell.

The Lincoln Sippomere Club held its last meeting at 12 Spruce street. This club consists wholly of young men who are making their aims to hold the people.

Three visitors of the Auxiliary Club of West Medford came here on Monday last, to arrange a debate to take place on April 9; there will be more heard from this later.

Miss Helen Dickson has been confined to her bed for some time with neuralgia. Mr. Richard Dodge, who has been in the Massachusetts General Hospital for some time, for a serious operation, is now very much better, and will soon be home.

Last Friday night the election of officers took place. Those elected for the ensuing year were: Senior Deacon, Mr. Oliver Barksdale; Juniors, Mr. William Richardson, Mr. Thomas Jones, Mr. William Hightower and the Pastor, Mr. Johnson.

At the meeting of the Mystic Baptist Union at Lynn last Sunday, Miss Carrie Berch sang and Mr. William Hightower gave an address. This union was founded by Rev. Jacob Russell of this town. When the union was started there were only three churches on the roll, Winchester Second Baptist, St. John's Baptist Church of Woburn and the Mystic Baptist of West Medford.

### Baptist Church Notes.

These special Gospel services conducted by Dr. McElwain and Miss Upham will be continued Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. They will be especially helpful. Do not miss them. Come and bring your friends. You will be richly repaid. Dr. McElwain is a man of large experience, of deep spiritual life, and is a very practical preacher. Miss Upham possesses rare powers as a Gospel singer.

This evening a special prayer meeting will be held in the vestry. Also on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock there will be a prayer service in the ladies' parlor.

On Wednesday morning and afternoon the district conference of the women's Auxiliaries of Cambridge, Somerville, Watertown and Winchester will be held in the Methodist church. An excellent program has been arranged.

### Locke-Fisher.

A quiet wedding took place on Sunday afternoon, March 15, at the Episcopal rectory of St. Peter's, Cambridge, the parties being Miss Dorothy J. Fisher of Cambridge and Mr. Lewis O. Locke of Winchester. After the ceremony, which was witnessed by the immediate relatives, the happy pair took the 4:30 train from the South Station for New York, where after a few days stop at the Hotel Vendome, they took the steamer for Bermuda. They will return about the first of April and make their home at Mr. Locke's ancestral homestead in the western part of this town.

### A Word From the Tree Warden.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I wish you would remind the readers of your paper that the time is limited in which to take off the Brown Tail Moth. I have noticed a great many trees in town that still have a great many nests on them. Many places in town have only a few trees on them and the expense would be very small to take off the nests. The old saying of "The time to catch birds is when they're out," applies to the Brown Tail Moth nests, but not to the moth. It is hoped by the Deputy Warden that the people will do everything possible to exterminate these pests.

E. D. FLETCHER, Deputy Warden in charge.

### The Town Officers of 1852.

March 1, 1852, 51 years ago, Winchester chose the following town officers: Moderator, John A. Bolles. Town Clerk, David Youngman. Selectmen, Charles McIntire, Asa Locke Jr., Gardner Symmes. Assessors, Cyrus Bancroft, Marshall Symmes Jr., John S. Richardson. Town Treasurer, Samuel B. White. Constables, Seth Johnson Jr., A. D. Hunt.

School Committee, Frederick O. Prince, Charles Kimball, Rev. John M. Steele, Dr. David Youngman, Dr. Alonzo Chapin, Oliver R. Clark, Marshall Symmes Jr., Overseers of the Poor, Alonzo Chapin, Samuel S. Richardson, Gardner Symmes. Highway Surveyors, Gifford Division, Nathan Jaquith, Wyman, George Wyman; Hill, Hiram Andrews; Rumford, Nathan Jaquith; Washington, William Richardson; Mystic, Luther R. Symmes.

Appropriations voted, for Schools \$2500, Highways and Bridges \$700; Poor and Incidentals \$3000. The taxes were given to James Bridge for Collection for 9 mills on a dollar.

### Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Rev. J. W. Ward of Stoneham will speak to men at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. B. Gillette, Secretary of the Somerville Association, will speak to boys at 5. Mr. Gillette will give a chemical talk, well illustrated by experiments. The juniors will hold a social next Wednesday afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock. All the junior members are invited. A good time is assured.

The Glee Club will meet on Monday evenings the remainder of the season. The exhibit of mechanical drawing is now on, and is well worth the time to go in and see it. The work is of two classes and all the result of twenty lessons this season. There are thirty plates by Mr. J. L. Thomas, which begin with problem and take into machine drawing and gearing. It is very commendable.

The Auxiliary conference of the Third District will be held in the Methodist Church next Wednesday beginning at 10:45 a. m. and closing at 3:45 p. m. Lunch will be served by the Winchester Auxiliary in the Association rooms. The public is invited to attend the meetings.

The State Athletic meet was held at the Boston Association last night. This Association was represented by two contestants.

### Mr. Garrett's Lecture.

"Doubtless," said Isaac Walton, "God could have made a better berry than the strawberry, but doubtless God never did." Perhaps there are lovelier landscapes, lanes, woods, river reaches, old buildings and gardens than those of Warwickshire, but we know not where they may be found in connection with such charming and potent historical and literary associations as those of the Shakespeare country.

It goes without saying that Mr. Garrett's loving study of his subject bore fruit in divers sorts. The literary, legendary, humorous and historical features were all reflected in his most charming lecture of last Friday evening, at the Town Hall—and all on a background of such rare and lovely pictures as are seldom seen in stereopticon collections.

For the time being the illusion as to time and distance was complete, and the delighted audience found it's evening's pleasure all too short.

### No City Money to be Spent on Private Property.

Mayor Buttrick has issued a circular which will be sent to citizens calling upon them to assist in the extermination of the gypsy and brown tail moths now found in so many localities in this city. The mayor notifies all citizens that no work will be done by the city upon private property. The appropriation made by the city is to be used for looking after the trees in the public ways and public grounds. The city cannot undertake to work on private property. The citizens who are so anxious for the extermination of these pests are now officially notified that they must take care of their own.—[Melrose Journal.]

### The Young Whist Club

Of Winchester was, on Monday evening, entertained by special invitation, at the parlors of Mr. and Mrs. William Alden of Fells road and a royal reception and entertainment was given them, courtesies for which the club wish to express appreciation. It was a lovely evening. The members gathered at the usual hour and filled in all the jollity consistent with the game, the distribution of prizes, the refreshments and after dinner speeches, etc., until the midnight hour.

### A "YOUNG" MEMBER.

### Special Gospel Services.

The Rev. J. A. McElwain, D. D., pastor evangelist of the Clarendon street Baptist Church, Boston, assisted by Miss Mary E. Upham, of Boston, the Gospel singer, will begin a short series of special Gospel services in the First Baptist Church next Sunday morning. These meetings will continue Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. Dr. McElwain is widely known as a very practical and forceful preacher. Miss Upham has a rare voice.

### Card of Thanks.

The members of the Winchester branch of the Hospital Aid Society desire to take this opportunity of thanking all who have in any way contributed to making the recent concert such a grand success. Through their kindness and generosity the Holy Ghost Hospital for incurables will receive a goodly sum to help carry on its good work.

### It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For ulcers, wounds, piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cts. Sold by Grover, druggist.

The Ladies' Friendly Society will hold its regular meeting in the parlor of the Unitarian church on Thursday, March 26th, at half-past one p. m. Bazaar and sale afternoon and evening.

## TOWN HISTORY.

The Winchester Historical Society and its Proceedings—The Three Sagamores—An Interesting Historical Paper of Local Interest—A Tax List Not on the Records—Items from an Old Document—Part cviii.

[Communicated by Abijah Thompson.]

WINCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
PROCEEDINGS  
George Cooke, Secretary  
PART XXV  
NO. I  
THE THREE SAGAMORES—1638-1850  
BY J. C. JOHNSON

It is hard to realize that three short centuries ago, there was, very much at home in our beautiful valley of Winchester, quite another class and race of people. Our lakes were their lakes; our hills and woods their hunting grounds. On our fields grew their corn and nourishing beans for "succotash." On our familiar woodland paths, undoubtedly made and worn by their moccasined feet, we might have met the mighty Nanepashemet, with 500 warriors at his back, or



JAMES CHESNEY JOHNSON.

might cross the track of some silent hunter, with bow and spear, tracing the foot prints of bear or wolf, or creeping through the bushes to surprise the great American turkey. Past this very building (or rather its future site), glided the familiar aberjona the light canoes of red fishermen, who found abundant stores of food in our forest surrounded bodies of water.

You are, this evening, invited to seats around the council fire, with a few of these ancient people.

The time is a little more than 250 years ago.

The scene is the top of a small hill, on the borders of our present Wedge Pond. Then, doubtless, known by a point in Indian name, signifying a spear head or arrow head, or wedge-shaped body of water. The hill was higher than at present, and the place we are supposed to visit would be about on a level of the floor of the church which now covers the spot. Here, from a small open space among trees, ascends the smoke of a small fire tended, from time to time, by an aged Indian woman who, between whiles, is seated upon a log, at one side of the opening. Parting the bushes to the east of the clearing, enters a middle-aged Indian, to whom she calls "Welcome, Sagamore John!"

He replies. He carries a basket in which is a fish and also a few ears of corn. A younger Indian woman steps out of the bushes, receives the food and retires. Just then appears, rounding a point in the lake, a bark canoe, and in it two Indians who, by way of salute, wave their paddles, and again dipping them in the placid water, are soon at the side of the steep bank, up which they climb, bearing with them, one a few perch caught from the rocks of Nahant, and the other corn-bread from grain grown on the Essex meadows.

"Welcome, Nontowampate! Welcome, Masconomet!"

"Welcome, mother, and Sachem," is the response of the two chiefs. As before, the younger Indian woman advances, takes the supply of food, and retires. The three Sagamores seat themselves on a log, opposite to that occupied by the Squaw Sachem, and are silent. The mother now advances to the small fire, and, in obedience to an immemorial custom, dips of peace, draws a few whiffs from it, passes it to the first Sagamore, and he, in like fashion, to the others. I will take advantage of the time occupied by this quiet ceremony, and introduce the four Indians to you.

This "Squaw Sachem" is the widow, or more properly the former wife of Nanepashemet, or "The New Moon," whose dominion extended from the Merrimac to the Charles river. We do not understand that it was an absolute kingly power, but that, having the ordinary chief's power over the people immediately around him, he was judge and arbiter for all the others, led them in war, and was at the head of their councils. It is greatly to the credit of these comparatively advanced, peaceful and civilized Indians, that the Squaw Sachem could succeed him in power.

Our early Indian troubles came, not from these people, but from the eastern Tarratives; from the Canada Iniquis, and from the ferocious Mohawks.

The Squaw Sachem, on this occasion, wore a partially civilized dress; but the black hair mingled with grey, was arranged Indian fashion, with bead-like ornaments and the eagle feathers of a chief, and a belt of wampam-ague was about the waist. She wore also a silver ornament, "The New Moon," on her forehead. The three Sagamores also

had partly civilized clothes, but above the waist their red and painted skins were visible, now ornamented with the streaks and color proper to a very grave occasion. Light blankets covered their shoulders as was proper in the then October weather. But now in the warm sun, and in the solemnity of the council hour, they were removed.

Of the three chieftains, we recognize in the first one who arrived, Sagamore John, or John Sagamore, the friend of Winthrop and, from the beginning, a good neighbor to our Puritan fathers. We have no record, either, of any trouble with Sagamore Masconomet, who controlled the Ipswich river region, nor with Nontowampate, the Sagamore of the Saugus river. Bostonians came to know them best by the English titles, Sagamore John, James and George. It should be explained also, that the Squaw Sachem, whose husband died in 1619, thought best afterward to take on as a Prince Consort, Wappacowet, the medicine man of her tribe. He seems to have had no special authority, and is not present at our council.

After the Calumet pipe had made its circuit, the talk or council commenced—and let no one despise the wisdom of our Indian chiefs! An intelligent white man, who attended a meeting of Sagamores of the Lenni Lenape, or Delawares, at the great wigwam of Waramaug, their principal chief, on the shores of the Housatonic river, characterizes the words of debate, and the sound wisdom of these people, as worthy of comparison with the speech and decisions of the best English judges. "Nontowampate," says the Squaw Sachem, "why did you not bring your wife? She would have been welcome at my wigwam."

"Because she was not at home to bring, having not returned from her visit to her old home on the northern river. They sent me word, those people, that her visit was concluded, and that I might come for her. But I told them that I am a Sagamore, and she a Sagamore's wife. When she went north, she was properly attended with an escort of three or four warriors. When they please to return her with a similar escort, well and good. Until then, she might continue with her relatives."

"Well said, Sagamore," says Masconomet.

At this moment comes the report of a gun (or "piece") from the neighborhood of our present Winter pond. Sagamore John hastily descends the bank, paddles across the lake, and disappears in the woods. Presently he returns to the shore, accompanied by an Indian woman and an elderly man who carries on his shoulder a young deer. This is deposited in the canoe, and the three are soon at our council fire. Again appears the Indian waiting woman, this time accompanied by a boy. They carry away the deer.

"Great welcome, Passaconaway, Sachem!" says the mother of the Sagamores. "Why do you, being an aged man, come so far through the woods?"

"To bring your wife, Nontowampate," says he, turning to the Squaw chief. "It was not from a want of courtesy that I am a Sachem without a tribe. The great sickness has touched us as well as you. The evil Mohawks have made many raids, and the warriors that are left are scarcely sufficient to guard the pathward the Quinocticut, and to fish and hunt for the squaws and children. I hope, Sagamore, that I, a Sachem, may be enough to satisfy your sense of dignity."

"Quite enough, and more, great Sachem; and mother, shall we not take them into our council talk?"

So the council re-commences. Passaconaway is seated to the right of the Squaw Sachem, the newly arrived woman at her left; and the three Sagamores resume their seats. The pipe of peace again makes its rounds. The Squaw Sachem arises, and with much dignity and feeling makes the following speech or oration in the Aberjona language, of which we will render a plain English translation:

"Sachem and Sagamores! You are called together because I wish your advice and consent on a very important matter, which concerns you nearly as much as myself.

"Sachem and Sagamores: Fifty years ago, the great Sachem, the New Moon (Nanepashemet) and I lived in a great wigwam by the side of Misch-tic. Two thousand warriors obeyed his call. He ruled from the great river of the north to Nontanum, and from a distant line in yonder western woods to the sea. Unnumbered fish came, in their seasons, up these streams, and filled the lakes and the brooks. We were not a quarrelsome people, and were satisfied with the fish of our streams, the game of our woods, and with the greater fish of the Massachusetts waters. Among yonder rocky hills we hunted the deer and the turkey, and the wolves fed at our approach. On the ocean shore was an abundance of shell fish. Thick woods sheltered us in winter, or furnished fuel for our fires. Our cornfields bordered the meadows and streams. From neighboring tribes we bought arrows and spear heads, and made by our hands or purchased, we had great store of wampam-ague. If the thieving Tarratives came up the Misch-tic, they retired discomfited, or were left with their canoes at the bottom of the river. Those were happy and great days.

Nanepashemet and Passaconaway, in league with Massasoit and the distant Lenni-Lenape, were a terror to the Mohawks and the restless Pequots and they left our homes at peace.

"Such was our state and our happiness, when the great sickness came upon us. Whence it came we do not know. Some people say that one of the white men's great canoes brought it from the South. Some people say that it dropped from the

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### STORE NEWS.

We catch our customers as young as possible—when they are small boys. Then we keep them with us until they bring in their own boys to be fitted—and not seldom their boys' boys, too.

Every year we graduate a large "class" from our Boys' Clothing Department into the Men's Department; and therefore we have to keep our "kindergarten" constantly filling up.

For these reasons we give very careful attention to our Boys' Department—it's one of the corner stones of a great clothing business.

Today's news in respect to boys' wearables takes the form of a bit of about Sailor Suits and

### STORE NEWS.

Time was when retail clothing stores gave practically all their attention to the "average" man—that is to say, the man of average height, average breast measure and average length of leg.

The stout man and the thin man were either forced to employ a custom tailor or to accept a more or less unbecoming "made."

We bore our part in changing these conditions.

We slackened no whit of our attention to the "average" man, but at the same time we put upon our counters garments suitable for either a Falstaff or a Cassius.

The result was most satisfactory.

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**Formalin in Blood Poisoning.**  
Dr. Barrows' successful use of formalin in a dangerous case of blood poisoning marks a definite advance in the science of medicine and naturally attracts widespread interest and comment. In his report of the case to the New York Academy of Medicine Dr. Barrows tells of the treatment of the negro woman whom he found in Bellevue hospital dying of blood poisoning following childbirth. The first injection of 500 cubic centimeters of a solution of formalin in the proportion of 1 to 5,000 caused a drop in temperature, and the second injection of a solution of the same strength, using 750 cubic centimeters, placed the woman on the road to recovery. Dr. Barrows said that a culture of the patient's blood made before the injection showed the presence of streptococci, the bacteria which, he holds, are the cause of sepsis, and when the woman had practically recovered he found no trace of streptococci. From this case he therefore drew the conclusion that the formalin had destroyed the streptococci and that it could do no harm.

It cannot be expected, however, that the results anticipated will always attend the use of the formalin treatment. All sorts of complications are liable to occur coincidentally with sepsis, and even the destruction of the streptococci in the blood might not restore the conditions permitting recovery. The formalin treatment was used in the case of Editor Gonzales, who was shot by Lieutenant Governor Thilman of South Carolina, and that it did not save his life is not to be wondered at. The liver was torn by the bullet, and the septic poisoning resulting was quickly beyond surgery. It is quite probable that neither President Garfield nor President McKinley would have derived any benefit from formalin injections, and theirs were typical cases of blood poisoning caused by gunshot wounds.

Very different, however, is the puerperal sepsis which sends so many young mothers to the grave prematurely and which has ever been the dread of the obstetrician. If the formalin treatment accomplishes nothing more than to minimize the mortality in such cases, it will be an inestimable boon to humanity. As the New York Times remarks, it is the misfortune of discoveries of this kind that they are put to impossible tests by unauthorized and empirical experimenters and that success is questioned while failure is heralded. It would seem, as if the great medical organizations could handle such matters better than they are now handled.

**History Repeating Itself.**  
The London Chronicle finds a parallel for the Saxony scandal in the matrimonial escapade of another member of a royal house about two centuries ago. Cosimo III, when heir to the throne of Tuscany married Louisa, a daughter of the Duke of Orleans. Endowed with rare beauty and extraordinary vivacity, she was by nature and education opposed to all gravity and state. Neither her husband nor her father, the reigning Duke of Tuscany, could control her, and various attempts were made to induce her to respect the position she held. After several reconciliations with her husband she was at last detected in an intrigue with a Frenchman of the lowest rank, with whom she was projecting an elopement. Two German grooms and another Frenchman, this one a dancing master, were her confidants and lovers. She finally left her husband and took refuge in France to be near an old lover, Prince Charles of Lorraine. Naturally she came to no good end and died in Paris in 1721. Thus does history repeat itself.

The men at the head of the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis have promised a world's fair in 1904 which will surpass in interest and importance anything of its kind ever before seen, and everything now indicates that the pledge will be fully and faithfully kept. That the exposition directors are having the co-operation of a goodly part of the civilized world is apparent. Germany and Italy are making generous appropriations for exhibits at the fair. France took similar action long ago, and so, we believe, did Great Britain. All the countries of Europe of any consequence are pretty sure to be well represented at this great gathering of the products and activities of the world.

Patrick Sheedy, an eminent authority, says gambling odds make the gambling houses sure winners. Still many people will visit them, and every foolish victim who passes the guarded portals fondly expects that he will break the bank.

Venezuela is doubtless hoping that something may yet be discovered in the Monroe doctrine requiring the United States to endorse its promissory notes.

Owing to the prevailing prices for fuel it is perhaps unfair to criticize severely the New York French ball. The people must keep warm some way.

The news from the Morocco rebellion is so variable that it might easily be mistaken for a South American revolution.

**The Fluctuations of Trade.**  
An interesting study in the fluctuations in foreign trade and commerce is furnished by the record of the year 1902, which shows a marked change in the share which the various ports have had in the distribution of the exports of the United States.

The gulf ports show a falling off of about 13 per cent in exportations as compared with last year and the Atlantic coast ports a decline of about 10 per cent, while the lake and northern border ports show a gain of 3 per cent, the Pacific coast ports a gain of 10 per cent and the Mexican border ports an increase of 25 per cent.

These marked contrasts, in which the ports tributary to the Atlantic show a reduction and those on the Pacific or fronting upon contiguous territory show an increase, are in keeping with the general trend of the year's commerce, in which exports to Europe show a marked decline and those to Asia and to the contiguous territory at the north and south a marked growth. Exports to Europe especially were affected by the crop failure of 1901, since breadstuffs and provisions form the large proportion of the sales of the United States to that part of the world, while our exports to Asia, Mexico and Canada were less affected by crop failures, since manufactures form the bulk of our sales to those parts of the world; hence the decrease in shipments through gulf and Atlantic ports and the increase in those through Pacific ports and those fronting upon contiguous territory.

While the foregoing figures, which are furnished by the treasury bureau of statistics, include only eleven months of the year, they are presumably a fair index of the full year's operations at the various great doorways through which the exports of the country are distributed.

**Indian Art and Industry.**  
Lord Curzon, the viceroy of India, has been making an earnest appeal in behalf of Indian art and industry. He lamented the fact that a study of Indian arts, industries and manufactures showed a progressive deterioration. Any effort to stem the tide of modern commercialism and utilitarianism would of course be futile. In India, he said, they were witnessing only one aspect of a process which is going on throughout the world that long ago extinguished the old manual industries of England and is rapidly extinguishing those of China and Japan. Nothing can stop it.

The power loom will drive out the hand loom, and the factory will get the better of the workshop just as surely as the steam car is superseding the horsed carriage and the hand pulled rickshaw is being replaced by the electric fan. Indian art, he continued, could only flourish or be revived by the determination of the Indian chiefs and aristocracy to patronize it. So long as they prefer to fill their palaces with flaming Brussels carpets, Tottenham Court Road furniture, cheap Italian mosaics, French oleographs, Austrian lusters, German tissues and cheap brocades the prospect would be discouraging.

Unquestionably the widespread distress that so frequently prevails in India is in a large measure due to the failure to keep pace with the rest of the world in the fine arts and industry, and if Lord Curzon shall be able to stimulate these he will be doing an inestimably valuable work for the vast country over which he has been chosen to preside. The chief trouble seems to be the inactivity and carelessness of the native princes and petty provincial rulers, who are seemingly unmoved by the deplorable conditions of the great mass of the Indian people.

It will be interesting to watch the results of a new law in England designed to abolish or at least lessen the nuisance of drunkenness. Heretofore drunkenness was not a legal offense unless accompanied by disorder, but now it is a punishable offense of itself. The police are drawing up a list with photographs of all the men in every district who have been convicted three times of drunkenness, and copies of these lists and photographs will be supplied to every saloon keeper or publican, and the latter will be subject to fine or imprisonment if they sell liquor to such persons. If the law is properly enforced, it would seem that the habitual tippler would have considerable difficulty in keeping up his dissipation.

An unfavorable report having been made on the bill proposing to change the date of the presidential inaugurations, the next president, like all of his predecessors, will have to be inaugurated in the rain.

An Indiana judge who accepted pay from his appointees to help defray his campaign expenses has been "persuaded" by the county bar to resign. Like Caesar's wife, judges should be above suspicion.

The irrigationists might arrange for some of the water the statesmen propose to squeeze out of the trusts.

People are not expected to "put on airs" because they are burning imported coal.

**PRESERVATION OF YOUTH.**  
Scientists May Avert Inroads Made by Advancing Years.

In an article on "The Newest Conceptions of Life" in Harper's Magazine Carl Snyder intimates a belief that recent scientific discoveries will lead to others by which youth may be prolonged. Here is his argument for the belief:

There is one phase of the problem that seems nearer to our day and time. That is the realization of Ponce de Leon's quest of prolonged youth. Arrest of growth, the stunted plant, the deformed or undeveloped child, the idiot, the cripple, the prematurely senile—are these not too familiar to our daily view? Yet why should the mechanism of nature, so seemingly sure, turning out a thousand perfect specimens, slip so easily with the thousand and first? We know in part and can in part control. An impoverished soil, consumptive or otherwise diseased tissue, lack of sunlight and air—these are the producers of the physically, mentally and morally maimed. With narcotics and poisons we may stop development, whether it be that of a plant or a child.

But what may be arrested may perhaps be influenced in other ways. We have seen how the whole drift of present day physiology is to reduce life to the connected and concerted play of the ferments. The identity of the two processes holds in most unexpected ways. Heat and cold, chloroform, the poisons, the toxins secreted by the virulent microbes even, act upon the test tube fermentations of the laboratory in precisely the same way as upon the living organism. Even the curious fermentlike solutions of fine platinum and gold may be "poisoned," "chloroformed" or "killed," as if they were alive. What is disease, malnutrition and death for the one is the same for the other.

It seems to be clear, too, that the condition of growth, whether of a grain of wheat or the germ of a man, is the production or appearance of distinct enzymes—ments—at each stage. Cessation of growth must necessarily follow the development of biochemistry the discovery of reversibility in fermentation may in time disclose the reversibility of the life process—the more concrete phrase, the arrest of death, the prevention of old age, the preservation of youth.

If the action of the malt enzyme upon starch is reversible, so is that of the ferments which convert the active tissue, the living protoplasm, into the relatively dead fatty or connective or cartilage or bone tissue, the characteristic of the great Russian biologist Metchnikoff has shown, of advancing years. As the discovery of the constructive ferments gave at least a clue to a complete account of the whole life process, so to those who have closely and reflectively followed the development of biochemistry the discovery of reversibility in fermentation may in time disclose the reversibility of the life process—the more concrete phrase, the arrest of death, the prevention of old age, the preservation of youth.

**FUSSINESS.**  
Medical Press Has Elevated This Into a Disease.

The medical press has conferred no small boon on many sufferers by inventing a Greek or pseudo Greek term for their otherwise democratic complaints. The latest of these inventions is now recorded. The disease is fussiness, and the medical name, according to the London Graphic, is mysophobia. The mysophobe is he who when seated by his table lifts his glass, to see if it is fingered, and if he detects a smudge uses his napkin to dispose of it. In short, mysophobia is the exaggeration of that respect for cleanliness which convinced Svengali of the madness of Englishmen when he surprised the Laird in his maternal tub.

The lady in the play who seized on every one's watch chain and began rubbing it with chamois leather was a mysophobe, and the irritating man who begs your pardon and picks some microscopic piece of fluff from your sleeve is another. The servant, though most would benefit by inoculation with the disease, who insists on dusting papers is another, and the disease is widely prevalent among all housekeepers in the spring. It is nice to know at last just what to call it, but the medical press is more inclined to suggest scientific names than remedies.

**A Cure For Senselessness.**  
Dr. E. Castell of Washington calls attention to this communication concerning senselessness which has been received from the Italian ambassador to the United States:

"My Dear Dr. Castell—Knowing that you are interested in the treatment of senselessness, I take pleasure in giving you my personal observations on the subject. After having found by experience that the only way not to suffer from senselessness was to lie in a horizontal position, I happened to notice that fixing my eyes upon a mirror while dressing, even when the sea was stormy, was sufficient to relieve the unpleasant sensations of senselessness. During my last ocean trip I tried this accidentally discovered remedy and always with good results. Take into consideration my observation and make it yours if you think it may be of benefit to science."

**Novel Weather Warnings.**  
It is proposed to use electric light signals at night and flags by day to warn the fruit growers of the Santa Clara valley as to the approaching weather conditions. Professor A. G. Adie of the weather bureau at San Francisco has suggested that during the months of February, March and April the orchardists be warned by colored lights of the approach of frosts, which would enable them to smudge by burning oil etc. An electric tower 220 feet in height, located in San Jose, Cal., can be seen over the greater part of the county.

**Solignum.**  
A Copenhagen chemist has succeeded in producing a material called "solignum," which possesses qualities which will render it of the greatest importance to the caoutchouc industry. It is derived, it seems, from asphalt and can be used for the manufacture of linoleum, rubbers, insulators, etc. It is also claimed that it makes an absolutely waterproof paint in all colors.

**Methodists' Thank Offering.**  
The announcement coming from Springfield, Mass., that the last dollar of the \$20,000,000 of the twentieth century Methodist Episcopal thank offering has been pledged and paid, thus completing the fund, is gratifying not only to the multitude of followers of John Wesley, but to the Christian world at large. Four years ago the bishops of the church, in conference in the city where the last dollar was a few days ago subscribed, conceived the idea of raising this twentieth century thank offering. To raise it would afford a signal test of the church's vitality. To the man who knows little of the impelling power of religious faith and enthusiasm the gathering of this \$20,000,000 seemed like a tremendous undertaking, but the pastors and laymen went to work in the good old fashioned Methodist way. Fervent prayers were followed by energetic work among the followers of Methodism, and as a result of a little more than three years' work the thank offering was complete, and constitutes a magnificent addition to the religious, educational and charitable forces of the church.

The raising of this \$20,000,000 fund in the comparatively short time is a triumph of religious and philanthropic zeal that, so far as we know, has no precedent in the annals of the Christian church. It is the pride of the Methodist church that it is a distinctively militant Christian organization, its work being characterized by uncommon religious fervor and enthusiasm. It has a way of enlisting the sympathy and zealous devotion of the plain people. Whether this is due to its peculiar system of ecclesiastical government or to the ardent devotion of individual members, or both, is a matter for the ecclesiastics themselves to debate. The important fact that interests both the religious and the secular world is that a twentieth century thank offering of \$20,000,000 to test the devotion of the pastors and the laity which the bishops of the church called for has all been subscribed.

And, what is better still, in the process of raising this magnificent thank offering the spiritual activity and zeal of the church have been heightened and intensified. Altogether it furnishes a most commendable example to the Christian world.

A movement has been started by citizens of Hungarian birth in this country to erect a statue of Washington in Budapest, the capital of Hungary. The immediate occasion of this was the dedication of the Kossuth statue in Cleveland, says the Plain Dealer of that city. It seems fitting to us in this country that the figure of the great American liberator should adorn the chief city of the land for which Kossuth fought. It will be interesting to note the reception which this idea meets in the dual monarchy. It can be assumed that many Hungarians will welcome the gift, and it is not easy to see on what ground any element among the many composing the whole population can oppose it, though there may be some question as to the attitude of the reigning family, for there is little in the Hapsburg traditions to warrant the belief that such a gift will be accepted with enthusiasm.

In these days of numerous expeditions in quest of the north pole it is a novelty to have an expedition started to discover the north magnetic pole. This point was found by Sir James Clark Ross in June, 1831, but as it is supposed to vary the location of it probably has considerably changed. An expedition to determine the present point will start from Godhavn next May under Captain Roald Amundsen. After the location of the pole the expedition will work westward and eventually reach civilization through Bering strait and no doubt bring back not a little information of real value.

The world has lately noted the hundredth anniversaries of the birth of Balzac, Hugo and Dumas. The following are not far distant: Emerson, 1903; Bulwer-Lytton, 1903; Beaconsfield, 1904; Hawthorne, 1904; Whittier, 1907; Longfellow, 1907; Tennyson, 1909; Thackeray, 1911; Dickens, 1912.

Emperor William's attitude resembles that of Mr. Baer of the Reading railroad and coal corporation. Originally each in his particular case insisted that there was "nothing to arbitrate." But both were brought around by the stern logic of events to the notion that there was, after all, something to arbitrate.

It is quite apparent that if Lieutenant Perry could have discovered the north pole in theory it would have been his long ago. However, it was a frozen condition and not an academic theory that confronted him.

The gentlemen who are putting their money into the Pacific cable are evidently not highly impressed by Signor Marconi's announcements regarding wireless telegraphy.

Jim Corbett is getting bumptious again and declares that he can lick the entire pugilistic outfit. The vaudeville business must be languishing.

So far as is yet known, Afghanistan has no claim against Venezuela.

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clouds. Some white people that it was sent by the Great Spirit. But how could he so forget his red children? But, whenever it came, it was upon us. Hundreds and hundreds sickened and died. The arts and the outcries of the medicine men availed not. Even while reciting their incantations, they were stricken, and fainted, and died with the rest. Wigwam after wigwam became empty, and was burned. Many went out in the woods to hunt, and never returned. Many paddled away in their canoes to fish, and soon empty boats were seen drifting about on the ocean. Finally, the great Nanepashemet, the New Moon, was stricken and died. We that were alive placed him, as a great chief should be placed, on a platform in yonder woods, and defended it with stakes and poles.

"After this, the disease abated, and left us, the remnants of many families, few in number, poor and defenceless. The thieves and pirates ascended our rivers and plundered us at will. The roving Mohawks struck us where they would. The Narragansetts and the Indians of the Quinneticut were now friendly, now troublesome. Then the white men came. From few, they grew to many. Their great ships and their pieces and their cannon filled us with wonder and awe. It was said that a great chief across the big water gave our land to them; but he never owned it. We could not resist them, if we would. But they have been very good to us. They have not interfered with our fishing and hunting. They have given us raiment. They have told us much about the Great Spirit. They have paid fairly and fully for all things. They have bought our lands and homes, but what use have we for them? They defend us against our enemies. If a white man steals from us he is promptly whipped, and must restore to us our property. Now the people of Shawmut, and Wintrop, and they that dwell in Charlton, come to us and say: 'Will you sell us the Mish-tic waters and their shores, and the Mish-tic lakes, and also the forests on the eastern hills?' We are shut up here on points of land. We need farms and cornfields, and pastures for cattle, and also much firewood. My son, when they call John Sagamore, is an owner. You, of Saugus, and you of Agawam must give your consent. You, brother Sachem of the north, are wise, and look back on many years. Counsel us, Sachem!"

Passaconaway, who had attentively and gravely listened, arose and said: "Sachem, and you, Sagamores: Like you, I have known sorrow, and have seen my people die and fade away, so that in all the region of the Merrimack and of the lake which we call 'the Smile of the Great Spirit,' there are scarcely Indians enough for one village. Roving parties of Mohawks surprise us, and the Canada Indians plunder us when they will. The white men are strong. They have wisdom. They have the thunder guns and the great canoes. There are rogues and thieves among them, but the great men and the rulers and the teachers are said to be just. I shall not wait for them, but shall invite them to come to me. Chief Chocorua says 'no,' but the chief is hasty and impetuous, and may come to a violent death. My word is to sell to the white men, if you can trust them. How is that, Sagamore John?"

Sagamore John rose and said, "As to trusting them, that is all right. Wintrop and I are great friends. What he has bought on the Mish-tic (the good corn land) he has well paid for, and he has been very good to me and my family in time of sickness. At his Boston house, Chief Chickatabut and I are always welcome, and we have dined with him more than once, he at one table and we at the other. We do not quite fancy that, as we are Sagamores, and he but another. But the dinners are good, and the man is good, and we just let it go and laugh at it, and laugh, also, at the English clothes we have been persuaded to wear. These English are curious people. They know all about books, they sail ships, they possess the great and sacred book which they say was written by the Great Spirit. Yet our squaws had to teach them how to plant the corn, else they would have lived but poorly. Directly, however, their cornfields were better than ours. With others, I taught them the way to fish and hunt. But now, with their pieces, they kill more game than we, and with salt and smoke they have ways of preserving both fish and flesh for use in the winter. Wintrop is my friend. As to Dudley, he is sometimes one thing and sometimes the other. Of all white men, Eliot is the best, and understands Indians the best."

"That is so," assented the Sagamores and the Sachem.

The Sagamore of Saugus rose and said "I have sold most of my land to the white man, and have been fairly paid and well treated. I don't know Wintrop and don't want to know Endicot but have to. He is a just man, but hard and severe. He has done me no harm. My council is, to sell the land."

Massonnet, Sagamore of Ipswich, rose and said, "I have not yet sold my land. The place that they call Salem does not belong to me, and now that the great Sachem, my father, is gone, no one knows the owner. My council is to sell the Mish-tic shores."

"Then," said Passaconaway, "since you, the Squaw Sachem, and you Sagamore John, cannot use the land, and cannot defend it, it is wisest that you should sell it. Only be sure to reserve the right to fish in the lakes and rivers, and to hunt in the woods forever. The Indian cannot live as the white man lives, and these hills and waters must be free to him. I also counsel you all to learn of Eliot all that you can about the Great Spirit, whom we have always worshipped, but their way is most likely the best."

Thus the famous council ended. Allured by an appetizing smell from a neighboring hollow, all now proceeded thither, where, on a mound surrounded by sheltering trees, these Calumet smokers of a former century gathered around an appetizing feast of fish and venison, of corn bread, and of a few simple cakes and confections, procured from the "original stores" of Boston.

## PAPER NO. 2.—A TAX LIST NOT ON THE RECORDS.

The following list of taxpayers in Woburn in 1855 is not found on the Woburn town records. This list is taken from a copy made by Thomas B. Wyman from an original which cannot now be found in the files of the Middlesex County Court, so far as I can discover.

ARTHUR G. LORING.

Of the following names Daniel Bacon, Richard Post and Michael Bacon, senior

and junior, are to be looked for, in 1855, as having residences in the section of territory traversed by "Walker's Lane," in the southerly part of Burlington. Among their not very distant neighbors were Samuel Blodget, John Cullen, Francis Whitmore, John and Joseph Knight, Samuel Walker, William Clarke, William Simonds, Richard Holden, George Reed (who lived to be ninety-six), Ralph Reed, and perhaps John Baker, James and Jonathan Thompson, Richard Snow, John Baldwin, Moses Cleveland, Thomas Fuller, George Polly, Henry Baldwin, John Lakin, Ralph Hill, senior and junior and Robert Pierce, are to be looked for in the vicinity of North Woburn. Simon Thompson, the two Mousalls, John Brooks, John Tidd, senior and junior, and Robert Eames at Woburn Center. Henry Tottingham and Bartholomew Peirson, at East Woburn.

Benjamin Butterfield, Stephen Fish, John Wright, John Sears and Allen Converse were all neighbors on Middle street, one of Woburn's oldest highways. Edward Winn and John Russell and may be Thomas Pierce were to be found on or near Kilby street, Woburn. Michael Leppinwell, near the late Stephen Richardson & Sons' mill property. Thomas Chamberlin I do not locate. Miles Nutt and John and Francis Wyman at Central Square. Francis Kendall at foot of Fort Hill, on Lexington street, Woburn, with Edward Johnson and William Locke as neighbors. Henry Brooks on site of present "Jefferson House," corner of Main and Lake streets. Thomas Brown, I do not locate.

Of the Winchester inhabitants, Samuel Richardson was one of the original three brothers Richardson. Theophilus Richardson was a son of Ezekiel, and a brother of the Josiah Richardson named. William Johnson lived on Cambridge street, where Edward Russell now lives. The location of the Converse and of John Carter are on well known streets.

WILLIAM R. CUTTER.

## TAXPAYERS IN WOBURN, 1855.

Daniel Baker	John Knight
James Tompson	Joseph Knight
Jonathan Tompson	Thomas Fuller
Samuel Blodget	George Polly
Simon Tompson	Henry Baldwin
John Mousall	John Lakin
John Mousall, Jr.	Miles Nutt
John Brooks	John Wyman
Henry Tottingham	Francis Wyman
Bartholomew Peirson	Robert Eames
William Johnson	Ralph Hill, Sr.
Benjamin Butterfield	Ralph Hill, Jr.
Stephen Fisher	Henry Brooks
[Fish?]	Samuel Richardson
John Wright	Edward Converse
John Seer	Josias Converse
Allen Converse	James Converse
Theophilus Richardson	John Carter
son	Thomas Browne
Richard Snow	Edward Johnson
Edward Winn	William Locke
Thomas Peirce	Samuel Walker
John Russell	Michell Baken, Ser.
John Cutler	John Baker
Richard Post	William Clarke
Michell Leppinwell	William Simons
John Tidd, Sr.	Richard Houlden
John Baldwin	Michell Baken
Thomas Chamberlin	George Reade
Moses Cleveland	Ralph Reade
John Tidd, Jr.	Robert (U) Peirce
Francis Whitmore	Josias Richardson

\*Within the limits of Winchester.

†Probably Junior.

## ITEMS FROM AN OLD DOCUMENT.

Copied from the original in the collection of papers of the Josiah Johnson and Ezekiel Johnson families:

Woburn, April 14th, 1803.

We, the subscribers, do agree to pay the sums affixed to our names, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the Singing School, which has been kept by Mr. Ed [Ichabod] Johnson at the West Side Schoolhouse.

Abraham Duren	\$1.00
Nathan Harrington	1.00
Asa Munroe	0.25
James Bruce	0.25
Josiah Parker	1.00
William Fox	1.00
Obediah Kendall	1.00
Ebenezer Lawrence	1.00
Edward Brown	.50
Jacob Prince	1.00
Benjamin Parker	1.00
Colo [nel] Wheeler	1.00
Simo. Parker	.50
William Russell	1.00

Joseph Gardner \$1.50

[The sums of money are all checked as paid.]

Ichabod Johnson, who as a youth had served in the army of the Revolution as one of the quota of Woburn, died on August 5, 1807, in Quincy, aged 43 years, "a celebrated musician," wrote his pastor, the Rev. John Marrett, of that part of Woburn, now included in Burlington. He played the fife while in the army, beginning, in 1776, when he was twelve years old. In 1780, he was in service, at the age of sixteen years. At that time his height was five feet six inches, and his complexion was ruddy. He was in the army constantly on different tours of service, the last tour being in 1781.

Inhabitants of Woburn West side in 1818. From a list made by the town assessors and sent to Mr. Ezekiel Johnson, one of the surveyors of highways and bridges for the town of Woburn, for that year.

Ezekiel Johnson	Caleb Harrington
Levi Johnson	Abraham Duren
Josiah Locke	Abel Pierce
Asa Locke	Jonathan Locke
David Johnson	Isaac Reed
David J. Parker	Wid. Betsy Locke
Francis Babcock	Joseph Edwards
Nathan Harrington	Benjamin Edwards
Jr.	Samuel C. Buckman

\*Within the limits of Winchester.

From a paper found among the papers of Josiah Johnson and Ezekiel Johnson families, and given to the Woburn Public Library, by Mr. Otis Bacon.

## More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver or kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia and expels malaria germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by Grover, druggist.

Have you seen the new crepe de chine writing paper at Wilson's? It's the finest box paper made.

## March Musical.

The March group of the social committee of the Congregational Church will give a musical at the Church next Thursday evening, March 26. It is proposed to devote the first hour to readings and music, this to be followed by refreshments and a social. Mrs. Clarence J. Allen, chairman of the group, has arranged a most interesting program, and it is her determination, and also of the other ladies of the committee to make the social part of the evening a most pleasing feature. Following is the committee:

Mrs. DR. CLARENCE J. ALLEN, 38 Church St., Chairman.

Adams, Mrs. Joseph C., 22 Dix st.

Allen, Mrs. Ruth, 38 Church st.

Allen, Miss Clare, 38 Church st.

Bagley, Miss Amy, 129 Highland ave.

Barron, Mrs. George A., 67 Walnut st.

Belcher, Mrs. William M., 16 Prospect st.

Berry, Mrs. William P., 39 Wildwood st.

Bishop, Mrs. W. S., 75 Washington st.

Boone, Mrs. Allen E., 4 Brooks st.

Boone, Mrs. Allen F., 19 Grove st.

Boutwell, Mrs. James P., 30 Winthrop st.

Boutwell, Miss Mary, 30 Winthrop st.

Bowers, Mrs. Caro H., 6 Hillside ave.

Brown, Mrs. Henry R., 34 Washington st.

Cate, Mrs. George W., 8 Washington st.

Church, Dr. Adaline B., 1 Rangeley.

Cobb, Mrs. Rebecca F., 7 Myrtle st.

Coburn, Mrs. Henry C., 26 Grove st.

Colgate, Mrs. Weneva E., 3 Lloyd st.

Cummings, Miss Caroline, Fairview pl.

Curry, Mrs. Herbert W., Thompson st.

Cutter, Miss Abbie, 233 Main st.

Dyer, Miss Florence, 11 Grove st.

Elder, Mrs. Samuel J., 13 Central st.

Ellis, Mrs. Ralph, 8 Clematis st.

Forbush, Mrs. H. O., 11 Mt. Vernon st.

Gutierrez, Miss Grace, West Medford.

Harrison, Mrs. John H., 323 Main st.

Herrick, Mrs. Rufus, 16 Herrick st.

Herrick, Mrs. William H., 15 Herrick st.

Hills, Miss Mary J., 118 Main st.

Hosea, Mrs. Harriet T., 6 Cliff st.

Hovey, Mrs. Freeland E., 5 Prospect st.

Irving, Mrs. Amanda T., 42 Wildwood st.

Irving, Miss Emma J., 42 Wildwood st.

Jones, Mrs. Marshall W., Highland ave.

Joy, Miss Minnie, 22 Washington st.

Kerr, Mrs. Frederick N., 1 Lakeview rd.

Knapp, Mrs. Newton A., 8 Chestnut st.

Lane, Mrs. F. E., 135 Washington st.

Laraway, Mrs. Jonas, 12 Mt. Pleasant st.

Larabee, Mrs. Herbert L., 2 Maxwell rd.

Mason, Miss Lizzie, 86 Main st.

Mason, Miss Carrie, 118 Main st.

Maynard, Mrs. Lorenzo, 79 Church st.

Newton, Mrs. D. Augustine, 130 Main st.

Noyes, Miss Marion, to Everett ave.

Palmer, Mrs. Irving L., 37 Dix st.

Palmer, Miss Eva, 18 Dix st.

Park, Mrs. Frances E., 12 Norwood st.

Park, Miss Florence, 12 Norwood st.

Plummer, Mrs. Erving V., 21 Winthrop st.

Pond, Mrs. Susan, 6 Prospect st.

Power, Mrs. Jennie D., 19 Gleggarry.

Prescott, Miss Estella R., 15 Yale st.

Prescott, Miss Ethel, 15 Yale st.

Pressy, Miss Helen A., 19 Mt. Vernon st.

Richardson, Miss Mary, 11 Francis cir.

Richardson, Miss Martha, 11 Francis cir.

Richburg, Mrs. B. H., 51 Washington st.

Rogers, Mrs. F. E., 15 Thompson st.

Saltmarsh, Mrs. G. A., 24 Mt. Vernon st.

Saunders, Mrs. Malvina B., Elmwood ave.

Saunders, Mrs. Antoine B., 112 Church st.

Shattuck, Mrs. Charles E., 81 Church st.

Stone, Miss Emma, 7 Washington st.

Stone, Miss Grace, 38 Washington st.

Symmes, Mrs. Samuel J., 112 Main st.

Vinton, Miss Mabel, 109 Main st.

Wheeler, Mrs. Harry A., 6 Cliff st.

## Danger of Colds and Grip.

The greatest danger from colds and grip is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases we have yet to learn of a single case resulting in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventative of that dangerous disease. It will cure a cold or an attack of the grip in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Young & Brown.

## The Co-operative Bank a Great Benefit.

Winchester has one of the most flourishing and best managed Co-operative Banks in this State. It is not meant by this that it is the largest, but that its condition is all that could be desired. There are scores of people in this town who, but for this Bank, would not now be the happy owners of their homes, and this has all been accomplished by the payment of monthly sums about equal to the rent that had been paid.

That eminent and deep thinking man, President Capen of Tufts College, in an address to Co-operative Bank officials recently said:

"I have been a teacher, of political economy for a quarter of a century, and it seems to me that there are very few things among our institutions whether industrial or financial, that are of greater importance or of more significance from the economic side of things, than the co-operative bank. Sometimes you hear political leaders and speakers in exciting campaigns say a great deal about the wages that are paid—the industries that are going on and the money that is being earned. They have generally something to say about the full dinner pail. The full dinner pail does not signify anything to me if the man has his entire wages in his dinner pail and is going to eat it up. That which is his contribution to the wealth of the country and is of significance is what he is able to save after

he has emptied his dinner pail. An institution like those which you represent is an institution which helps the people who are laboring—the wage earners—to save something which perhaps they would not save otherwise.

"I asked your president how much capital is represented by the co-operative banks of Massachusetts. He said about \$25,000,000. I think it would not be an exaggeration to say that three-quarters of that would not be in existence today if it were not for the co-operative banks.

Another thing that is of importance, is that the wealth is distributed among a great many people. The greatest menace to the safety of the country today is not that we are growing rich as a nation—not that we have vast industries, employing an immense amount of capital—but that there is a tendency for this capital to accumulate in a few hands. And I say it is worth ten times as much—that this \$25,000,000 or \$30,000,000 of capital saved through the agency of the co-operative banks of Massachusetts, is scattered through the hands of perhaps 100,000 people more or less, than it would be if it were in the hands of two men, one in Lowell and one in Springfield or Boston.

Insofar as the co-operative bank may be the means of encouraging young people to acquire the possession of land, and the roof that covers them, I regard the co-operative bank as one of the most beneficent institutions of the land.

"It seems to me that the greatest service rendered by the co-operative bank is in creating, fostering and developing the habit of economy and prudence and saving among the people. There is a kind of ignorant prejudice against the man who saves his pennies and dollars, and by and by gets together a fortune through economy of living and care of what he has begun to accumulate in the earlier years. Yet, after all, that is the source of all wealth, and more than that, we get a man in the process."

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In December of last year I was completely used up with Dyspepsia and General Debility, and went South hoping to recover my health, but returned in February not at all improved. I was induced to try Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic, and now after using one bottle I am entirely well.—T. R. LEBLANCHE, 873 Second St., So. Boston.

I consider Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic the best of spring medicines. My stomach was giving me much trouble, and being unable to eat as I should I lost much flesh and felt poorly. I was induced to try Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic, and now after using one bottle I am entirely well.—MORTIMER BISHOP, Wakefield, Mass.

About a year ago I was asked to try Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic, as I was suffering from Indigestion and General Debility. I found it just what I needed, as it cured me in a short time.—JAMES GARRETT, 64 Walker St., Charlestown.

I have been troubled with Nervousness and Fainting Spells after eating, also with General Debility for a year or so. Since taking Jaynes' Blood and Nerve Tonic I

do not have any of the above mentioned troubles. My appetite is improved, and I feel better than I have for a number of years.—W. H. COX, Chief, Union Square Hotel, Somerville.

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## A Step Forward.

The Star is issued in eight page form this week. This was made necessary because of the demands on our news and advertising columns. It has also been found necessary to install a folding machine to handle the large and increasing number of papers. We hope our readers will appreciate our endeavor to give Winchester a better news service.

## Fight Shy of It.

The scheme proposed by the Boston annexationists to split Middlesex County and make a new County embracing the towns and cities in the so-called Greater Boston district, is doomed to failure. The entering wedge will refuse to enter. First, it was annexation to Boston, then a Greater Boston, the cities and towns to retain their present individuality, and these having failed the agitators are now striving for a new County. Anything that will lead ultimately to annexation to Boston, no matter how little, is the aim of the persistent promoters. Until the benefits to the cities and towns is made clear, there will be no thought of their casting in their lots with Boston. No doubt some well intentioned men see in such a scheme the political uplifting of that city, yet the surrounding communities do not care to become parties to it.

## More Business and Less Buncombe Talk.

After all that worthy citizen who sat under the north gallery last Monday night and who appeared to be anxious to enjoy a premature celebration of Saint Patrick's Day, was not so far from the right. His interruption was not, of course, strictly according to parliamentary usage and yet the average long suffering and patient citizen had a kindly feeling for this gentleman when he exclaimed, "What is the use of talking all night about nothing?" And so say all of us. Squeeze all of the irrelevant and buncombe talk out of the proceedings at the town meeting on Monday evening and all the real business that was done could have been settled in less than thirty minutes. No doubt Job was a patient man but he never had it put to such a supreme test as attending one of our adjourned town meetings with the chronic kickers arrayed in full war paint.

## Irrelevant Opposition as a Boomerang.

If the citizens of this town who were in favor of a committee on appropriations had proceeded to secure the services of a "Boston lawyer" and had paid him a handsome fee to champion their cause, they could not have fared so well as they did simply by sitting in their seats and allowing certain parties to talk against the measure. At one point in the discussion the proposition would probably have been defeated if put to a vote. The few good citizens who were sincere in their opposition had a sudden change of heart when it became evident that certain prime movers in the opposition were governed more by personal feeling toward a few individuals than by what was for the best interests of the town. It was a good illustration of how

insincere and irrelevant opposition to a measure often acts as a boomerang in the hands of constant kickers to all propositions whether wise or unwise, that are proposed in our town meetings.

It was a mistake in not finding a way for the passage of that small appropriation for the purchase of making plans of real estate for the benefit of the Assessors and the Collector. Considerable money is lost each year in hunting up real estate boundaries that would certainly be saved if the town had suitable working plans. Winchester is far behind neighboring places in this regard.

To purchase additional real estate on Winchester place for the town stable, would, in the judgment of many citizens, be a grave mistake. The stable with its smells, and the unsightly yard with its clouds of stone dust should find a place outside the centre of the town.

Discussion does not appear to be lacking in our town meetings. Yet these gatherings would prove to be more interesting if a greater number of citizens would only participate in the debates. The talking should not be done by less than half a dozen men.

There should be some way for houses to connect with the sewer even if they are situated on unaccepted streets. The overflowing cesspool is a menace to health as much on a private street as it is on one that has been accepted by the town.

The question of abolishing the grade crossing will be found the greatest problem the town has ever been called on to face. This does not apply merely to expense, but to the preservation of the looks of the centre of the town.

The Appropriations committee has too strongly proven its worth to be discontinued even on the plea that it is usurping the rights and prerogatives of the old-fashioned town meeting—which it doesn't.

So it seems the town is to have a public observance of Independence Day. In arranging the program for this, the desires of the young people should be kept in view every minute.

There is such a thing as a person talking a good measure to death, and that came near being the case last Monday evening at Town Meeting.

So long as only an occasional dog is being killed at the crossing in the centre, there will not be a general move for the abolition of the grade crossing.

## A Pointer to the New Board of Selectmen.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

We wish our new Board of Selectmen could do something to improve the electric car service to Boston, via Medford. The cars are run principally in favor of towns above us and all the slow running is between Winchester and Medford in order to make up time, when necessary, which is lost above Winchester. This would be all obviated if cars could run through to Sullivan Square as do all the other electric lines running north from Boston. Why should Winchester people wait around Medford to change cars which only run a few miles further to Sullivan Square, when Waltham, Newton, Lexington, Bedford, Billerica, Lowell, Melrose, Stoneham, etc., none of them on the line of the Boston Elevated R. R., all have direct communication with Sullivan Square, without change? Winchester is badly discriminated against by some unknown power and the town, through its Board of Selectmen, should bring the matter to the attention of the railroad commissioners at once. This is something to be done now and of much more importance than most town meeting business at present taking the time of the citizens. An overhead crossing at the centre will be a good thing in the future, but quick electric car service to Boston will be a good thing now. Will the Electric Car Committee of the Board of Selectmen wake up to its opportunity to do a good work in the direction indicated above? If "Echoes" would only "prod" the Board, as of old, what a blessing he would be! But alas, we have no "Echoes" now. It has been all union and no refrain in Winchester public service lately, but we hope the new board will shake off its sleep and not acquiesce in everything "that is," in electric car service to Boston.

## Character Sketches.

The following program will be presented by Miss Frances Eaton, who will appear in her original character sketches, at Metcalfe Hall, Mar. 26, at 8 p. m.

## I.

Two Points of View.  
(As expressed in a Village Store near the Sea in mid-winter)

1. As Farmer Skinner sees it.  
2. As Farmer Barstow sees it.

## II.

Nora Flynn's First Visit to an Intelligence Office.

## III.

Habit Master.

1. Charles Henry listens respectfully to his Grandfather.

2. Charles Henry listens affectionately to his Grandmother.

## IV.

The First Caller at the Parsonage.

## Turkey Supper.

The Second Baptist church, Rev. C. Herbert Johnson, pastor, is now making stringent efforts to solicit money to pay off the balance due on a lot located on Winchester street, on which they hope to erect a house of worship. The Young Worker's club has arranged for a turkey and chicken supper, to be given this Friday evening, at 7:30 in Waterfield Hall. The supper will be preceded by a literary program consisting of solos, duets, select readings, dialogues and recitations. Tick 25, including supper, 25 cents. Give them a trial.

## Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the back of that old little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. W. Kins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him, and a terrible cough set in. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Life Pills. He's now sound and well. Every body ought to know it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by Grover, druggist. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free."

## Girls' Rights.

(Written for the Star.)

I wonder now if anyone  
In this broad land has heard,  
In favor of the "working girl."  
One solitary word.  
We hear enough of women's rights,  
And rights of working men,  
Of nations, and of equal rights;  
But pray just tell us when  
Girls' rights were ever spoken.  
Why we've become so used  
To being snubbed by everyone,  
And slighted and abused,  
That when one is polite to us,  
We open wide our eyes;  
And stretch them, in astonishment,  
To nearly twice their size.

Girls seldom dare invite their friends  
To venture in a house,  
It don't seem natural at all  
To creep around like a mouse.  
Then if we should forget and talk aloud,  
While chatting with girls or boys,  
Our mistress will step in to say  
Girls! stop that horrid noise.

Their girls bang on the piano in peace,  
And their boys tune with life and drum,  
But just because we work for them  
We simply must keep mum.

Insulted thus, we lose no time  
In beating a retreat;  
And that is why you see us  
With our traps out in the street.

No wonder that so many girls  
Such wicked women become.  
Wouldn't it be better far,  
To make them feel at home?

Some day you will know us,  
When we have all got married;  
And when you see us in our automobiles,  
You'll know then why we're married.

And, patience and the time will come  
When our husbands will be great men.  
And when it does, I rather think,  
Wrongs will be righted then.

MOLLY O'TOOL.

## Selectmen's Meeting.

March 17, 1903.  
Board met at 7:30 p. m. All present.

Records read and approved.  
Auctioneer's license was granted to Geo. D. Stevens.

Received petition from School Committee for layout of Salem street as a town way; also for concrete sidewalk on Richardson street. Laid on table.

John W. Hemingway was elected Inspector of Animals at a salary of \$100.

Voted, that the Boston & Northern Ry. Co. be requested to have representative meet the Board next Tuesday evening in relation to condition of roadbed from Pleasant street to Stoneham line.

Voted, to notify the Sewer, Water, Cemetery, Assessors and Park Boards to meet with the Selectmen next Tuesday evening to elect a Town Engineer.

The following nominations were made: Registrars of Voters, John T. Cosgrove and Whitfield L. Luck; Town Counsel, Fred Joy; Supt. of Streets, Henry A. Spates; Chief of Police, Wm. R. McIntosh; Patrol Police Officers, Thomas P. Dotten, Munroe Brown, James P. Hartgrove, John A. Harrold and James V. O'Connell; Special Police, John J. Lynch, Michael O'Flaherty, George W. Richardson, Hugh Donaghy, Daniel P. Kelley, Daniel O'Leary, Michael S. Nelson, Frederick Adams, Wilmer E. Smith, Julius P. Freeman and Thomas Mackesy; Keeper of Lock-up, Wm. R. McIntosh; Janitor of Town Hall, Royal S. Carr; Sealer of Weights and Measures, Wm. R. McIntosh; Inspector of Wires, Elmer D. Fletcher; Burial Agent for Deceased Soldiers and Sailors, Edwin Robinson; Measurers of Wood and Bark, E. C. Sanderson, B. T. Morgan, J. L. Parker, N. E. Gates and Daniel R. Beggs; Weighers of Coal, B. T. Morgan, John D. Coakley and J. L. Parker.

Issued warrants No. 21 for \$1043.48 and No. 22 for \$436.45.  
Adjourned at 10:30 p. m.  
A. W. ROONEY, Clerk.

## Parish of the Epiphany.

Choir rehearsal this evening at 7.  
The five o'clock service daily, Saturdays excepted.

Thursday at eleven in the morning, at the Rector's house, will be the second of the talks on "Literature and Faith."

There will be a meeting of those who are to be confirmed, at the church, on Thursday at half past three.

The Parish's day at the Sailor's Haven, in Charlestown, comes this year on March 30.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Guild comes a week from Tuesday, when the Rector will give an address on the new Bible.

At the service Sunday morning at 10:30 the Bishop of the Diocese will preach, and administer the rite of confirmation. Pewholders are asked to be in their places by 10:20.

The services of Holy Communion Sunday morning at 10:30.

Choral service Sunday evening at 7 p. m. It is with great regret that the resignation of Mr. Pratt, the Choir Master, is announced. Next Sunday will be his last Sunday. He is to make his home in Philadelphia.

The Guild of St. Cross invites you to its sale of handkerchiefs, ties, collars, cake, candy, and other articles to be held Sunday afternoon, March 28th, at Mrs. Mead's on Church street.

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## Observations.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

(Written by N. A. Richardson.)

Alexander, Caesar and Napoleon have filled the world with awe and consternation, they have disturbed the councils of empires, and painted battlefields with blood; in history they live, while the bounds of their kingdoms have been rent asunder and their deeds, the exploits of ambition, void of noble aims and wise results, blacken their lives and sully their rule. Melancthon, Wilberforce and Howard shine in the mirror of goodness and greatness, reflecting their lives upon the path of moral and Christian excellence.

Abraham Lincoln, to whose memory this article is feebly written, is chiseled upon the hearts of the American nation with ineffable depth and sincere devotion. His name and fame are columns of wisdom and integrity that will stand in the temple of individual worth and national honor as long as liberty has a friend and humanity a defender.

I am not writing a record of the life of Abraham Lincoln. Some eight lives of him have been written, also pages in magazines and columns in newspapers, in which his private and public life has been presented with truth and justice. These are accessible to the public and have been well considered. Only some events and sayings of his will be called up. His early life, hard struggle, professional success, political rise and final election as President are an open volume.

His contest upon the forum with Stephen A. Douglass fixed the eyes of the country, as assurance of his ability in debate and his matchless power over his hearers; his original and unpolished ways gave interest and zest to his language and ideas. I cannot pass by his great discussion with Douglass in silence. Beginning in 1855-58, these debates were the most able and instructive that ever took place in this country; embracing the Missouri Compromise, the Dred Scott decision and the Kansas issues; including legal, constitutional and personal rights of the most delicate and complex significance. Douglass was a great debater, of rare powers of mind united with consummate skill, wisdom and brilliant analysis of an opponent's weak points and defiance of his strong ones. He had studied the dividing lines of the two parties and was a political statesman of vigor and tact, while the pleasantness of his re-enters were fascinating if not convincing. When he failed to be elected President his heart was broken—"His crest fell, and all his pride was gone."

July 24, 1858, Lincoln challenged Douglass to meet him in seven joint discussions, which was accepted. In Lincoln he met a foe worthy of his steel, armed at every point for assault and defense. He tore away Douglass' breast works, behind which he took shelter. On the slave question Lincoln declared that "slavery and freedom could not exist in harmony in this land of liberty." He raised a tower, from which he hurled missiles of argument and facts, welded together with personal rights and constitutional protection, declared and upheld by the Declaration of Independence. I cannot enlarge, but Lincoln came out of these debates with such a complete triumph as to give him the presidential nomination in 1860.

His record as President, his wisdom in council, his patience and fidelity as commander-in-chief, to conquer the rebellion, and save the union, have been a thousand times repeated and still the ear is not dull, nor the eye dim to behold, nor the heart weary to listen to the story of his triumph and the sadness of his death; at one time with a heart of charity to pay the South for their slaves; with a sense of duty as a "war measure" to abolish slavery; with anguish in defeat and joy in victory; with tearful eye at the thought of wounded and dying soldiers, homes desolate and families broken. He was confident that right would prevail and the Union be saved. His faith in Providence, his hope in God, bore him up and comforted his bruised soul; his party somewhat divided as to the justice and end of the war; statesmen confounded and in doubt as to the result of the war and the manner of carrying it on; generals in command halting and at variance with the plan of action and vigor of campaigns.

Bulletins of victory were followed by the flash of defeat. The cabinet was not in constant harmony. Life and treasure poured out like the hillside torrent. Europe was dissembling, hoping to see the stars and stripes divided. Who can wonder that the great heart of Lincoln was in continued agony. Who can comprehend the crushing days and barrowing nights, like cancers eating out his peace of mind and strength of body.

That sorrowful face, with wrinkled cheek and wan brow, so plaintive and deep set with "consuming care;" sometimes with immobility, then melting with the fervor of compassion. Who of the great painters of face and character could reproduce the facile reflex of Abraham Lincoln, with the gloom of mental misery, or the glow of passing pleasure, each an index of the cloud or sunshine that struggled within him.

If the son of a prince was dying in the hospital, his father's voice could not obtain the President's aid sooner than the wail of the poor mother, pleading for the discharge of her wounded boy. No man in the world has had so many of his sayings and stories repeated; new ones multiplying, old ones illustrated. And well they may be, so opposite, so descriptive of life and human nature, even, of death, he could tell a story, the envy of life.

In the winter of 1862 I spent some time in Washington. There I met John Sanborn of Charlestown, this state, who had a son in one of the Massachusetts regiments who was quite sick in one of the hospitals. Mr. Sanborn was there to get his son discharged and take him home. In this he thought he was successful, but when he went to the hospital to get his son he found a great mistake had been made. Another soldier belonging to a Pennsylvania regiment, having the same name, had been discharged instead of his son. The father, all ready to start for home, was in great trouble, knowing that a delay of several days might occur before the matter could be pushed through. He went to see Gardner Tufts, the Massachusetts soldiers' agent stationed at Washington. Mr. Tufts at once went to see Secretary of War Stanton, who, with indifference, said nothing could be done to correct the mistake except to go all over the matter again, which would take two or three days. Mr. Tufts then called upon President Lincoln with the story of the mistake. The President listened with much interest and then spoke to his private secretary, telling him what to write, signed it and handed it to Mr. Tufts to take to Secretary Stanton, saying "you

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will get your soldier out of the hospital today," adding, "when you do, be careful and not get a well soldier or a dead one by mistake." An order was at once issued to discharge the soldier, and before night he, with his father, was on the way home. I was present with Mr. Tufts and Mr. Sanborn and witnessed the interview.

After the battle of Fredericksburg and the Union mishap under Burnside, the President was very dependent and shut out from public view for two or three days. Secretary Stanton was quite brusque and often unaccommodating. At the battle of Fredericksburg a soldier in a Pennsylvania regiment was killed. A dispatch was sent to his widowed mother by a companion soldier, asking if the body should be buried there or sent home. The mother sent back a dispatch, saying, "keep my boy, I will come for him." She at once started for Washington. Arriving there she called upon the Secretary of War, to see if she could get a pass to go to the front and carry out her object. She got a cold rebuff, and was told no woman would be allowed to go through the lines until the smoke of battle was cleared away. In despair, without introduction, she called upon the President. He received her politely, heard her story and in reply said, "a thousand mothers like you weep for their sons today." She kept on her pleadings, so full of sorrow; she only wanted to obtain the remains of her son and take them back to her home. She wrought upon the tender feelings of the President that he told her to call later in the day. This she did, and was handed a pass and free transportation to Fredericksburg and return.

When she arrived there her son had been buried two days before, but his grave had been marked. It was at Fredericksburg that I met the lady and heard her tale of grief and interview with the President. She asked me to aid her, which I did, going with a detail of soldiers by night (and holding the lantern) to uncover and restore the son to his mother. The next morning we parted, she with the body returning home. She gave me her address as keeping a hotel in the town of Bristol, requesting me to call upon her if ever in the region, now 41 years since. I live; she may have gone before me.

President Lincoln had become somewhat petulant at the result of the seven days' fight in the region of the Chickahominy swamp; the mistake of McClellan in not following up his partial victory at Malvern Hill. His continued delay of movement, with his repeated call for more troops, which could not be sent without weakening other strategic points, with the swaggering manifestations of Pope, (a short time in command) the President determined to make a change of general commanding the army of the Potomac, selecting Burnside for the commander. This was not agreeable to the new commander, but like a true soldier he took command with obedience and fought the battle of Fredericksburg with disheartening results. No fault in the war caused the President more anxiety than the outcome of this battle, where Gen. Lee, aided by Stonewall Jackson and Sooner soldiers, had met Burnside, assisted by such commanders as Hooker, Sumner, Franklin, and others as wise and brave, with an army of 120,000, met defeat, while 17,000 of the Union army lay wounded and lifeless in the region of the Rappahannock. Indeed was the voice of Lincoln choked with emotion, his great heart throbbing with deep solicitude; not dreaming of the calamity of Hooker soon to follow at Chancellorsville, to scarcely afresh wounds still bleeding.

While President Lincoln had a great fund of sharp sayings, he was very skillful at repartee. I will relate what was told me by a colonel of an Illinois regiment, who said he was present when Douglass and Lincoln met. As the former opened the debate someone in the audience cried out "three cheers for the little giant," which was echoed over the hall. Douglass began by saying his



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## TOWN MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual Town Meeting was adjourned to meet at the

TOWN HALL,  
Monday, March 23d, 1903,

At 7.45 o'clock P. M.,

when Articles 16 to 26 inclusive will be acted upon.

GEORGE H. CARTER,  
Town Clerk.

March 17, 1903.

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## TOWN MEETING.

**The Children will Rejoice—\$250 for Independence Day—Three Years' Contract with Electric Light Co.—List of Jurors Accepted—First Move Toward Abolishing the Grade Crossing—An Appropriations Committee for Next Year—A Lively Meeting Continued to Next Monday Evening.**

The second session of the annual town meeting was held in the Town Hall Monday evening. The attendance was not large, the hall being less than two-thirds full. Taking the number of articles acted on, not much was accomplished in the way of cleaning up the docket, but when the discussion is considered, the meeting was fully up to the most talkative. Of the nine articles passed upon, there can be no fault found with the freedom of speech, as the matters were thoroughly threshed over to the apparent satisfaction of all present. The article on abolishing the grade crossing at the center and the matter of the appointment of an appropriations committee took up the greater part of the evening. The questions of a town stable and a fire engine house, town ledge and a site for a town stable, hose house for the west side, and additional land for the cemetery are among the important articles yet remaining to be acted upon.

When Moderator Rich called the meeting to order, article 7 was taken up.

TO CELEBRATE THE FOURTH.

Selectman John H. Carter under this article offered a motion that \$250 be appropriated for an observance of the Fourth of July. In discussing his motion, Mr. Carter claimed that this matter was passed over too lightly by the Appropriations Committee who had dismissed it without the formality of discussion. More money is appropriated for Memorial Day by the citizens of Winchester than is done in any other town of its size in the State. He did not find fault with this, but he considered that Independence Day, the one great patriotic day of the year, was slighted by the people of the present generation. There is too much commercialism and not enough of patriotism. The feeling for the Fourth is dying out and so too, as a consequence is patriotism. It was proposed to observe the day with an oration, music, etc.

Mr. Lewis Parkhurst of the Appropriations Committee said that the matter had not been brought by the Committee, but that it had been considered, and as all the members appeared to be of one mind, it was decided to recommend—that no appropriation be made. His committee was one for business, and he foresaw if an appropriation was made this year of \$250 it meant \$500 for the next year, \$500 for the next, and ever after an annual expenditure, therefore the committee did not consider it was wise to give its sanction to the measure.

Mr. W. L. Tuck spoke in favor of Mr. Carter's motion, which was then passed by a vote of 71 to 67.

FOREST FIRES.

It was voted that \$66.83 be transferred from Forest Fires Account to Fire Department Account.

INSURANCE.

Mr. Parkhurst offered a motion, That \$2,358.25 be assessed upon the states and polls of the Town and that the same be appropriated for fire insurance upon town buildings and property, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. H. F. Johnson asked Mr. Parkhurst for an explanation of the motion. He replied by saying that heretofore the different departments had acted independently in the matter of placing insurance, and now it was proposed to place the entire matter in the hands of the Selectmen. A blanket form of insurance could be procured that would cover all the town property, and by this means a saving could be effected.

Mr. A. E. Whitney hoped the Library would not be included in the scheme, as the trustees hoped to discontinue insurance, one policy having already been dropped. The insurance as done now by the town was wasteful, as many of the buildings were insured for more than the value placed upon them by the departments. The town should do its own insuring.

Mr. Johnson did not think the Selectmen were the proper ones to do the insuring, neither did he think the policies should be given to the care of the Town Treasurer. He thereupon moved to amend by striking out the words "to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen."

Treasurer Spurr said he was responsible for the article being placed in the warrant for the purpose of having an insurance agent. He believed there should be one custodian of the policies, which would do away with their being scattered over the building. The different Boards could keep in touch with the Selectmen as regards the insurance. He believed there should be one blanket policy to cover all town property.

Mr. Johnson's amendment failed to pass.

Selectman Carter said the matter was a most important one for the town. Past Boards of Selectmen and Appropriations Committees had favored the town doing its own insurance. The method now in vogue was wasteful of money, he said, and referred to the fact that many buildings were insured for more than they were valued for, notably the central fire station, hose house, house on Howe lot, town stable, etc. The insurance companies will not pay more than the actual value of the buildings.

Mr. Parkhurst said the Selectmen could look into this matter and if necessary cut the insurance down. He then moved to amend the original sum by making it \$5000, with this change the original motion was then passed.

On motion the following was passed:

Resolved, That an Insurance Account be opened by the Town and that in future all premiums of fire insurance upon Town property be paid from said account under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Resolved, That, in future, all policies of fire insurance upon Town property be kept in the custody of the Treasurer.

TOWN PLANS.

Mr. F. V. Wooster of the Board of Assessors, offered a motion that \$475 be appropriated for plans for his department. These plans are a necessity as they would not only save much work but would effect a considerable saving to the town.

Mr. H. F. Johnson raised the point of order that there was no article in the warrant under which the motion could be acted upon.

The Moderator sustained Mr. Johnson's objection.

A DIGRESSION.

At this point in the meeting Mr. Johnson asked the Moderator if he was reading from the original warrant or a copy. The Moderator replied that he was reading from a copy.

Mr. Johnson thereupon protested. Whereupon the Moderator said he was acting under the original warrant as read at the opening of the meeting, and cited authorities to sustain his position.

Mr. Johnson appealed from the decision of the Moderator, claiming that the previous meeting had established a precedent in this matter, and that the town would get into trouble.

The meeting sustained the ruling of the chair. Mr. Johnson then said he would offer a protest later.

TRANSPORTING SCHOOL CHILDREN.

On motion of Mr. Currier of the School Board, it was voted to appropriate \$50 to transport children residing in the Hill District and other remote points to and from the public schools, the money to be taken from the support of the schools.

TOWN COUNSEL.

The following motion offered by Selectman Challis, under article 9, was passed: That the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to appoint a Town Counsel for consultation by all town officials and committees, the expense to be apportioned and charged to the different accounts according to the amount of business done for each by said counsel, and no other counsel shall be consulted or employed at the expense of the town excepting such town officials as may have such authority under the statutes, without authority from the town.

UNPAID TAXES.

On motion of Collector Bell, under article 10, it was voted, That on all taxes for the year 1903, which remain unpaid at the close of business on Oct. 31, 1903, interest shall be charged from Nov. 1st, 1903, until such taxes are paid, at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, such interest shall be added to and be a part of such taxes.

DISMISSED.

Article 11, relating to a further improvement of the Eaton street lot was dismissed from the warrant.

STREET LIGHTING CONTRACT.

Selectman Challis offered the following motion under the next article, which he said if passed would probably effect a saving of \$5 each year on each arc light in town:

That the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to contract on behalf of the town with the Woburn Light, Heat & Power Company for lighting the streets of the town for a period of not exceeding 3 years from July 1st, 1903, provided a substantial reduction in the rates now paid by the town is secured. Carried.

LIST OF JURORS.

The list of jurors as prepared by the Selectmen and printed in the town report was adopted.

STREETS ACCEPTED.

On recommendation of the Selectmen, Mason street and Wolcott road were accepted and adopted as for town ways.

GRADE CROSSING.

Under article 15, Mr. W. L. Tuck offered a motion that the question of the abolition of the grade crossing in the center be referred to the Superior Court for its opinion. Mr. Tuck spoke of the great danger to the public at the crossing and he believed that steps should be taken toward its elimination in the future.

Mr. J. S. Nowell considered the question one of extreme importance and one that had got to be met some time. Now is the time to set the wheels in motion, and make a beginning by getting the needed information. Mr. Nowell referred to the many tragic deaths that the grade crossing was responsible for.

Mr. W. S. Prime offered the following which was later substituted for Mr. Tuck's vote:

That whereas the crossing of the highways by the Boston & Maine Railroad in the center of the town of Winchester, as at present maintained, is a dangerous menace to the safety of the public, and should be abolished.

That a committee of five, consisting of the chairman of the Board of Selectmen, the Town Engineer, the chairman of the Water Board, and two other registered voters of the town to be chosen by the three first named, be appointed by the Moderator, and who shall investigate and report in print to the next annual town meeting, upon the subject of the abolition of the crossing of highways by railroads, and street railways at grade in this town, with suggestions and recommendations as to the best method of accomplishing such abolition as shall seem to them, expedient. Such Committee shall include in their report estimates of the probable cost of such abolition by the several modes which may be said committee be suggested as possible, including therein land damages, if any.

Mr. Prime gave at length a most interesting and instructive review of the whole question, which was closely listened to and which showed careful study on his part of this great problem. He claimed that this question involved something more than dollars and cents and that was the lives of the people. This committee could ascertain the best arrangement for the separation of tracks from the streets, and could submit a rough estimate of the cost. According to law, the steam road would pay 65 per cent of the cost, the electric railroad 15 per cent, the town 10 and the state a similar per cent. It would be some years at the earliest before the work would be undertaken.

Mr. H. F. Johnson objected because the motion called for an appropriation, which would not be a drop in the bucket toward securing accurate information. The Superior Court is the only body that can ascertain this.

Mr. A. E. Whitney claimed that the work would call for an immense amount of money, which the town could not afford. The town had better wait awhile, and he therefore moved an indefinite postponement of the matter. This was lost.

Mr. J. T. Wilson thought Mr. Tuck's motion too drastic, for the minute the town applied to the Superior Court, then

it was committed to definite action: Mr. Geo. L. Huntress also took this view.

After further discussions by Messrs. Smith, Vinton and Patrick Holland, Mr. Prime's motion was passed. Mr. Main gave notice that it would be impossible for him to serve on the committee.

APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE.

Mr. Preston Pond offered a motion calling for the appointment by the Moderator of an Appropriation committee for the coming year.

There was a long discussion for and against the propriety of introducing this vote under any article in the warrant by Messrs. Wilson, Vinton, A. E. Rowe, Newell, Dorsey, Cosgrove and Carter, which was terminated by J. J. Fitzgerald moving the previous question. Mr. Pond's motion was then carried.

The meeting then adjourned to next Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

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High School Notes.

The freshman class held a short business meeting at the High school building last Friday afternoon.

Manager Harold V. Hovey '03 is very busy arranging for the base ball season. As the boys will have the use of Manchester Field this year for a base ball diamond, as many games as possible will be arranged at home.

Nearly thirty scholars from the High school were present at the Interscholastic meet held in Boston at Mechanics Hall last Saturday. The party included the principal, Mr. Lovering, and Mr. Collins the sub-master.

Although the High school did not gain a place in the Interscholastic meet last Saturday, yet the showing made was admirable, considering that this is the first of the kind that the school has ever entered. The only place where Winchester seemed likely to win a place was in the 600 yard run. Until the last half of the second lap, Withersell held second place but as he was taking the banks he fell and so was put out of the race. In the 400 yard dashes, the boys who entered, Badger, Gutterson and Little, finished well up with the bunch. Badger had the misfortune to lose a yard by a false start. They were also not far behind in the 300 yard run. In the 1000 yard run the pace cut out was too hot for Sullivan but he pluckily stuck to it and finished. In the same way Locke made the fatal mistake of trying to sprint at the beginning of the one mile and was forced to drop out on the fifth lap.

Mr. Ernest L. Collins, the sub-master of the High school, has resigned to accept a position as principal of the North Brookfield High school. While the school congratulates him on his new position yet it will sadly feel the loss of one of its most efficient and popular teachers.

Grip Remedies in Great Demand.

When colds and grip are prevalent the quickest and surest remedies are in great demand. Mr. Joseph D. Williams, of McDuff, Va., says that he was cured of a very deep and lasting attack of la grippe by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy after trying several other preparations with no effect. For sale by Young & Brown.

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## Observations.

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opponent's addresses before the public were like a leaky coffee pot, from which all the coffee had run out, and left only the grounds, to be steeped over and again served up (having reference to Lincoln's repeated allusion to the Kansas plot). When Lincoln arose to reply someone cried out "three cheers for the rail splitter," which met with high applause. Lincoln began by saying, "My giant coffee-pot opponent says my pot has a hole in it. Now I propose to take some of his soft soder, close up the hole, split some kindling wood, put in some pure Java and cream and give you a cup of drink that you will relish, in place of the rye and skim milk he has been giving you for nourishment." With a facetious smile he said, "If my giant friend runs into a coffee pot, I must follow him." Then with arms outstretched and pathetic voice, he deprecated the weakness of such talk, when such great issues were approaching that would jeopardize a continuance of the Union and the peace of the nation.

Abraham Lincoln, was a gracious man, full of the milk of human kindness, modest, simple and forbearing in his relations with interiors and equals, to approach him required no ceremonies. In the winter of '62, as I have said, I was in Washington, wishing to go to Newburn, N.C., to see my son, a member of the 43d regiment. It was necessary that I should have a pass, as I wished to go down the Potomac to Norfolk then by the Dismal canal and Roanoke island. I told Senator Wilson where I wished to go, and that George S. Boutwell, then of the house, had got me a pass from Secretary Stanton. He said go with me and I will get you one from the President with free transportation. I went with him, and got the pass. As it was passed out, the President said to General Wilson, "If your friend is gobbled up don't blame me."

As it happened, that pass did me much good. On my way I stopped at Fortress Monroe, was walking around the ramparts, when I was arrested by a sentinel, and taken to the headquarters of Gen. Dix, then in command of the fort. John A. Bolles, his brother in law, was on his staff, and at the time was away. I knew no one, showed my pass, told Gen. Dix who I was, and that 20 years before I had voted for his brother-in-law, John A. Bolles, in the Mass. legislature for Secretary of State when he was elected by one majority. I was at once released with apologies, and given a guard to go over the Fort and show me the battlements and immense defences. Later in Newburn, this same pass helped me out. I had been to the city across the bridge over the Neuse river, and was returning to the camp of the 43d Reg., over which I had been many times before without question. It was in the evening when I heard the sentinel say, "who goes there?" As I had no pass word, I was halted, and taken to the tent of the Colonel commandant, whom I told I had a pass from President Lincoln. This was evidently not believed. I was told to show my pass. I began to search for it in all my pockets, wallet and valise but could not find it. Several officers and privates were in and around the tent, peering through the opening. They all seemed to think they had caught a spy, and I expected to remain under guard that night, but no longer, as I had many acquaintances in and around the city, with Col. Wm. T. Grammar of the 5th regiment not a mile away, and Col. Holbrook of the 43d, across the river. I knew I had the pass about my person, and my courage was good. Before being taken to the guard house, I made one more search, put my fingers to the bottom of my watch fob, and found it safely tucked away, where it had been since I left Fortress Monroe. The pass was examined with caution, and accepted as genuine, and I was allowed to go on my way to the tent of my son. President Lincoln was very popular with the army. When he came to City Point, and went to Richmond, while Grant was pursuing the fleeing Lee, he was cheered and shouted to, with one acclaim, by soldiers and citizens. He left for Washington the day Lee surrendered at Appomattox, with the blessings of all he met in his short visit. How soon after his return, the assassin's pistol ended his earthly life.

When his tragic death was whispered along the march of the returning army to Petersburg and Richmond, on arriving at Black and Whites crossing on the Richmond and Denville road a full report of his murder was received, not an officer or private but shed tears, and with broken hearts fell out of line. Even the poor blacks, hung hundreds of pieces of black cloth upon the fences and limbs of trees, as a mark of respect and love for their liberator and friend. They realized the shouts of victory must be hushed and tempered with the sadness of death. I must close this article, already too long, by saying in all my limited readings of history, I can recall no act, so cruel, so wicked, so revengeful, so poisoned with the spirit of foul murder, as the taking of the life of Abraham Lincoln. Think of his great sacrifice of peace and comfort in taking the presidency, with its burden of care, its mental torture, its pain of duty, and obligations of right, to balance in his conscience and heart the scales of justice. Meek and righteous in his aspirations for fame, his friends exalted him with honor, loved his wisdom and patriotism which brought peace and victory. President Garfield was the victim of an ignorant and misled brute, with passion frenzied by mistaken ideas of freedom.

President McKinley fell before a missile of death guided by the hand of a miscreant to avenge ill conceived wrongs.

President Lincoln was slaughtered by an intelligent butcher, a traitor to humanity, a fiend incarnate, in conspiracy with demons belching out, "The South is avenged."

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## SUNDAY SERVICES.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Henry E. Dodge pastor, residence, 61 Washington street. At 10:30 a. m., morning worship, with preaching by the Rev. J. A. McElwain, D.D., pastor evangelist of the Clarendon St. Baptist church, Boston. Miss Mary E. Upham of Boston, the gospel singer, will sing. All seats free. You are cordially invited. Strangers will be heartily welcomed. 12 m., Bible School. 6 p. m., B. Y. P. U. meeting, led by Mrs. Armstrong. Topic, "What Christ teaches about judging others." 7 p. m., Evening worship. People's service. Special music. Dr. McElwain will preach and Miss Upham will sing. You are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY—Rev. John W. Suter, rector. Fourth Sunday in Lent. At 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion. 10:30 a. m., Morning prayer and sermon and Confirmation Service. 12 m., Sunday School. 7 p. m., Evening Prayer and Address.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Wm. I. Lawrence pastor. Residence, 110 Church street. Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Morning service. Pastor's subject, "Faith." 11:50 a. m., Sunday School. Mr. Robt. C. Metcalf will read the service and address the school. 7 p. m., Evening Service. Pastor's subject, "The Crucifixion." Mr. W. Johnston Fenton will sing.

Tuesday, Mr. Lawrence at home, afternoon and evening.

Thursday, 1:30 p. m., Ladies' Friendly Society bazaar and sale, afternoon and evening.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Services in Town Hall at 10:30 a. m., Subject, "Reality." Sunday School at 11:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. All are welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. H. P. Rankin, Pastor, residence 15 Myrtle street. At 9:30 a. m., Morning prayer meeting. 10:30 a. m., worship with sermon by the pastor, subject, "A Christian Privilege. A full chorus choir under the direction of Prof. Soule will sing the anthem "Rocks of Ages" by Warren. At 12 m., Sunday School. Lesson, "Paul's Message to the Ephesians." Eph. 2: 1-10. 4 p. m., Junior League, addressed by the pastor. 6 p. m., Epworth League, led by Miss Grace Snow. Subject, "Christian Education." 7:15 p. m., 7 p. m., Prayer and Praise Service with address by the Pastor, subject, "The Joy of Forgiveness."

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., special Lenten service with address by the Rev. Mr. Smith of Boston University.

Thursday 8 o'clock. Entertainment and Social with collection of Missionary boxes.

Friday, 7:45 p. m. Class meeting led by D. H. Ritecy.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—D. Augustine Newton, minister. Residence, 103 Main St. Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Theme—"Where to put the Emphasis." Choir—Anthem, "God so loved the world." Stainer; Bass Solo, "Abide with me." Ashford. 12 m., Sunday School. Lesson, "Paul's Message to the Ephesians." Eph. 2: 1-10. 4 p. m., Meeting of the Junior Branch, Y. P. S. C. E. at the vestry. Topic, "What I learn from the healing of the nobleman's son." John 4: 46-53. 6 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. Topic, "What Christ teaches about judging others." Matt. 7: 1-5. 7 p. m., Evening Praise Service conducted by Mr. Kingsley, to which all are invited. The pastor will speak upon some "Hymns of the Cross."

Tuesday 2:30-5 p. m. Mothers' meeting at Mr. Frank White's, 1 Lagrange street. A thimble party with program.

Wednesday, 3 p. m., Mizpah Circle of King's Daughters will meet at the vestry. 7:45 p. m., Mid-week meeting for all. Topic, "Christ's Support in Trial; and Ours." Matt. 16: 28; 17: 22-23; 24: 28; 25: 27.

Thursday 7:30 p. m. The March Group, Mrs. C. J. Allen Chairman, will hold the last Social of the season at the vestry. All the parish invited.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON XII, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 22.

Text of the Lesson, Eph. II, 1-10. Memory Verses, 4-7—Golden Text, Eph. II, 8—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1903, by American Press Association.] 1. And you hath He quickened, who were dead in trespasses and sins.

The last clause of this verse describes the condition of all, without exception, until redeemed, and the same sad truth is found in such passages as Rom. iii, 23; v, 12; Tit. iii, 3; but the natural man rebels against it, and especially the educated religious natural man, who teaches that all people are children of God, that there is good in all and all who desire to be good are Christians. A minister in New York is reported as recently having said that he knew nothing of the new birth and had never experienced it. In spite of all that men say and teach we must say, "Let God be true and every man a liar" (Rom. iii, 4).

2. & Children of disobedience; \*\*\* by nature the children of wrath, even as others.

This is as God sees us, and He alone is qualified to tell us what our hearts are like, for they are deceitful above all things and desperately wicked (Jer. xvii, 9, 10). The whole world lieth in the evil one, and he, as the prince of the power of the air, the prince of this world, rules it and its people (1 John v, 19; John xiv, 30; xvi, 11). The life or walk of all who are not born from above, however it may vary, is in each one a life according to the course of this world, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and it is all disobedience, under the control of the evil one.

4. & But God, who is rich in mercy, for His great love wherewith He loved us, even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ (by grace ye are saved).

"God commendeth His love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners Christ died for us." "When we were yet without strength, Christ died for the ungodly." "When we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of His Son" (Rom. v, 6, 8, 10). "God so loved the world (that is, the world lying in the wicked one) that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John iii, 16). This letter was written to the saints, the faithful in Christ Jesus (1, 1), those who had believed on Him and truly received Him and were therefore accepted in the Beloved, in whom they had redemption by His blood, the forgiveness of sins and were blessed with all spiritual blessings in Him (1, 3, 6, 7). Paul is showing them how it all came about and reminding them of their condition by nature, that they might watch themselves, have no confidence in themselves, but rejoice in Christ Jesus (Phil. iii, 3).

6. & That in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us through Christ Jesus.

Quickened with Christ, raised up with Him, seated with Him in the heavens, are some of the truths in these and the preceding verses. Elsewhere it is crucified with Him, dead with Him, buried with Him, risen with Him, suffering with Him, glorified with Him, coming with Him (Gal. ii, 20; Rom. vi, 4-6; viii, 17; Col. iii, 1-4). What He did and suffered for us in our stead as our substitute we are looked upon as having done and suffered with Him. We cannot feel nor realize this, but we can firmly believe it, and that is what He asks us to do. Only in the ages to come shall we see the full significance of it all, when with all saints we shall comprehend, as we cannot now, the breadth and length and depth and height of the love that passeth knowledge (Eph. iii, 18, 19).

8. & For by grace are ye saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest any man should boast.

The law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ. He was full of grace and truth (John i, 14, 17). Truth tells and shows just what we are, and grace saves us in spite of it all. Not only do the epistles begin and end with something about grace, but some of them are very full of grace. In his own case Paul felt that the grace of God was exceeding abundant (1 Tim. i, 14), and in his epistle he has much to say of the glory of His grace (1, 6, 7; ii, 7). I do not know that it is better defined anywhere than in 11 Cor. viii, 9, and when we can see and know how rich He was and realize in some measure how poor He became for us we shall then know more fully the meaning of grace.

10. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works which God hath before ordained (prepared) that we should walk in them.

While no works of ours can either save us or help to save us, or add to our safety, but if saved it must be by the work of Christ alone, yet there is in God's plan an abundance of work for saved people. I have found that if you ask a company of Christians to repeat a verse beginning "This is a faithful saying" they almost invariably repeat 1 Tim. i, 15, but it is a very rare thing for any one to repeat Tit. iii, 8. Many know John iii, 16, but very few seem to know 1 John iii, 16. Many are willing to be saved freely by the grace of God, but not so many are willing to work out that salvation day by day (Phil. ii, 12), for it costs more humility and self denial than many are willing to let God give them. If we only knew Him better, His love would constrain us to be gladly willing to have Him work in and through us all the good works He has prepared for us. He needs not our works, but men do.

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INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS

The total output of the world's shipyards last year amounted to 2,476 vessels, aggregating 2,787,824 tons. Of these the output of Great Britain and her colonies amounted to 1,459 ships, aggregating 1,939,454 tons, distributed as follows: Scotland, 404 ships of 572,041 tons; England, 937 ships of 891,520 tons; Ireland, 27 ships of 159,633 tons; the royal dockyards, 5 ships of 51,560 tons; the colonies, 86 ships of 24,700 tons. The total tonnage built in this country, which ranked second, was 317,775, or slightly less than the year before. On our seaboard there are twelve shipyards capable of turning out vessels of the largest class, and seventeen others at which average sized ships can be built. On the lakes there are nine large shipbuilding establishments and five smaller ones.

Peat Industry Growing.

An important feature of the future fuel production in North America will no doubt be the development of the peat industry. A good beginning has been made in Ontario and in several of the states of the Union. The greatest drawback to progress seems to be the lack of the necessary machinery properly to dry and cut the peat. The greatest difficulty in the way is the high percentage of moisture which must be removed. There is here a field for the exercise of American inventive genius which promises rich rewards.

Use For the Balata Tree.

The multiplication of companies for the growth of rubber trees in Mexico has turned attention to the gutta percha tree of Brazil. It was only recently that the Brazilians found out the value of the balata tree as a producer of the gum that makes gutta percha. They have been in the habit of cutting it down for firewood and building material. It is said that the tree grows in such abundance near Para and along the tributaries of the Amazon for hundreds of miles that there is practically no limit to the supply.

Tobacco Planting in Germany.

According to the report of the government statisticians, there are in the German empire 120,490 tobacco planters who in 1901 cultivated a plot equal to 1,700,000 acres and raised 40,000,000 kilograms of tobacco. The value of this crop amounted to 34,000,000 marks (\$8,800,000).

About Volcanoes.

Few persons have any idea of the prodigious quantity of lava and hot ashes which a volcano in a state of eruption can vomit in a few hours.

The matter which was discharged in 1869 from Mount Etna and which threatened to overwhelm Catania forms a mass the extent of which has been estimated as being not less than 1,000,000,000 cubic yards.

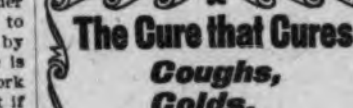
From the immense crater of Kilauea, in Hawaii, there was vomited in 1840 during a single eruption a mass of lava equivalent to fifty times the volume of earth which it was necessary to remove in order to form the Suez canal.

In 1873 the Skaptar-Jökull, one of the most redoubtable volcanoes in Iceland, sent forth two rivers of fire, one of which ran along a valley for eighty miles, its depth along the entire distance being thirty yards. Finally, it is estimated that from the mass of stones and ashes which were discharged in 1883 from Krakatoa could be formed a mountain higher and wider than Mont Blanc.

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Many hotels and restaurants of importance as well as many wholesale and retail liquor dealing firms employ a wine expert. It is the duty of this man to pass upon the quality of all wines, brandies, whiskies and other alcoholic beverages handled by his house. He works with an empty stomach, and he makes his tests through the three senses of sight, which tests the spirit's color and clarity; smell, which tests its odor, and taste, the most important sense, which tests its flavor. To keep these senses at once delicate and sharp the expert must not use tobacco, and in the use of liquors he must be temperate to the point of teetotalism.

If two glasses of champagne are set before a clever wine expert, one a champagne of the vintage of 1864, the other of the vintage of 1888, he will tell readily which is which. There are indeed a half dozen vintages which he can designate by their taste alone without the helpful presence of the labeled bottle.

The wine expert must also have a profound knowledge of red wines. Among the red wines of France he must be able to tell those of the Gironne from those of Burgundy and of Dauphiny.

In the white wines also he must be learned, and he should have no difficulty in distinguishing the champagnes of Sillery, of Ay, of Reims and of Epernay and in distinguishing also their best vintages. Among the other French white wines he must know those of Sauterne, Barsac, Preignac and Bommes. And the Spanish white wines of Johannisberg, Steinberg and Hockheim must be like old time friends.

Whiskies and brandies are divisions of his work that are as important as the wines. He must tell at a glance whether a brandy has been aged in wood or in glass, and he must not only separate with ease the Irish, the Scotch and the American whiskies, but he even must designate the districts in which each was distilled.

Considering his knowledge the salary of the wine expert is not great. It averages \$40 a week. Occasionally it falls as low as \$25, and occasionally it mounts to munificence.

The expert must not eat rich, heavy foods and pastries. He must not keep late hours. His life, in a word, must be as temperate as that of an athlete in training. This is in order that his senses of sight and taste and smell may be at their best always. Smoking is bad for the smell; rich foods are bad for the taste; late hours or any sort of dissipation, even the mildest, is bad for the health generally and for all the senses, sight in particular; hence the rigorous and ascetic life of the wine expert.

The wine expert works with stomach empty, for then his taste and smell are at their keenest. He works on bright days only in a room flooded with sunlight, for then he can best weigh a liquor's color and lucidity. He uses glasses of the oddest shapes—a different glass almost for every liquor—for these help him to distinguish the most delicate gradations of smell and color. The brandy glass, for instance, has a bowl almost as big as a washbowl. The bottom of this bowl the brandy covers in the thinnest layer. The expert puts his face down close and, with his nose inside the bowl, rolls the brandy about, thus getting the full bouquet of the liquor.

He must never swallow the beverages he tests. He holds them in his mouth about a minute, rolling them upon his tongue and letting them touch his palate, and that is sufficient for an accurate judgment. To swallow them would not aid him, for there are no nerves of taste in the stomach. To swallow them would, on the contrary, hinder him, sending him drunk to bed each testing day.

The expert of a large and fashionable New York hotel in discussing the other day his business said:

"What is more difficult than to describe in words the taste of anything? How, for instance, would you say what bread tastes like or meal or potatoes?"

"But red wines have, after all, a definable taste. The poor red wines are earthy. They have a flavor of fresh soil. The good ones taste like field mushrooms, and the best ones taste like truffles. But the taste of whiskies and brandies and white wines is not to be defined in any such concrete way as this."

"The wine science is a nice one. Few men know it. Few men indeed can tell with their eyes shut whisky from brandy or ale from beer. Few men who use liquor even know the wines that custom demands should be drunk with a dinner at which wine is served."

When asked what those wines were, he said:

"Sauterne with the oysters, sherry with the soup, Rhine wine with the fish, claret with the roast, champagne with the game, salad and dessert and cognac with the coffee."—New York Tribune.

The Amendment.

Wantanno—Here, read over this feature of the proposed charter amendment and tell me what it means.

Duzzo (after reading it carefully eleven times)—It means that in any case of emergency the board of education may employ or remove any teacher or head of department if it can.—Los Angeles Herald.

March 22 In History.

- 1664—Cession of New Netherlands to the Duke of York by Charles II. of England.
- 1820—Duel at Bladenburg, Md., between Commodore Barron and Decatur; both wounded, the latter mortally. Barron was the challenger in this famous duel. His record was cloudy, and he claimed that Decatur, who was one of the naval board, barred him from honorable service. Decatur was averse to dueling, but consented to satisfy his antagonist, declaring that he would aim at Barron's hip. His shot took effect there. Barron's ball passed through Decatur's body, and he died that night.
- 1822—Goethe, the poet, died at Weimar; born at Frankfurt-on-the-Main 1749.
- 1826—Dr. David Hayes Agnew, noted surgeon and emeritus professor at the University of Pennsylvania, died.
- 1896—Thomas Hughes, author of "Tom Brown's School Days," died at Brighton, England; born 1824.
- 1898—General Winlock Graves Vessey, a noted Vermont veteran and jurist, died in Washington; born 1835.

March 23 In History.

- 1309—Peter the Cruel, king of Castile, slain; born 1244.
- 1324—Crazy Paul, emperor of Russia, murdered by a band of nobles; born 1274.
- 1815—August Friedrich von Kotzebue, a German dramatist, died; born 1761.
- 1888—Morrison Remick Waite, distinguished lawyer of Ohio and chief justice of the United States, died in Washington; born at Lyme, Conn., 1816.
- 1900—General Robert Cumming Schenck, soldier, lawyer, congressman and minister to England, died in Washington; born 1840.
- 1901—Ex-Governor Lucius Robinson died in Elmira, N. Y.; born 1810. Anna Charlotte Lynch Botta, author, died in New York city; born 1815.
- 1901—Aguinaldo, the Filipino leader, captured by General Frederick Funston in the province of Isabela.

March 24 In History.

- 1773—Philip Stanhope, earl of Chesterfield, orator and wit of the time of George I., author of famous letters, died; born 1694. Lord Chesterfield was a noted coxier.
- 1844—Thorvaldsen, famous Danish sculptor, died at Copenhagen; born 1770.
- 1869—General Baron Jomini, famous writer on military science, died; born 1779. Baron Jomini was born in Switzerland. He became aid-de-camp to Ney in 1804 and presented to Bonaparte on the field of Austerlitz his "Treatise on the Grand Operations of War." He was appointed chief of staff to Ney a few days after this event. The title of baron was given him for gallantry at Jena.
- 1877—Thomas Walter Bagehot, writer and authority on economics and finance, died; born 1826.
- 1882—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, poet, died in Cambridge, Mass.; born 1807.
- 1889—Professor Gustave Wiedeman of Leipzig university died at Leipzig; born 1826. G. W. Leitner, noted German linguist, died at Bonn; born 1830.
- 1901—Charlotte May Yonge, the author, died in London; born 1828.

March 25 In History.

- 1771—Joachim Murat, Bonapartist king of Naples, French marshal, etc., born near Cahors, France; shot in Calabria Oct. 13, 1815.
- 1877—Caroline Jones Chisholm, the English philanthropist and "emigrants' friend," died; born 1810.
- 1888—Joseph W. Drexel, financier, died in New York; born 1833.
- 1892—Walt Whitman, poet, died at Camden, N. J.; born 1831.
- 1894—George Ticknor Curtis, an authority and writer on constitutional law, died in New York city; born 1812.
- 1896—General Thomas L. Casey, U. S. A., retired, died in Washington; born 1831.
- 1901—Birmingham, Ala., swept by a tornado; over 400 people injured; many fatalities.

March 26 In History.

- 1726—Sir John Vanbrugh, English architect and dramatist, died; born 1666.
- 1813—Thomas West Sherman, soldier, born in Newport, R. I.; died there 1879.
- 1872—Earthquake in California; shocks continued several days; 30 killed, 100 injured.
- 1885—General Anson Stager, a chief in the Union war telegraph corps, died; born 1828.
- 1894—General Alfred Holt Colquhoun, senator from Georgia and a prominent Confederate, died in Washington; born 1824. Commander Verney Lovett Cameron, the noted African traveler, died in England; born 1844.
- 1896—James Payn, the English novelist, died in London; born 1820.
- 1900—Rabbi Isaac Wise, Hebrew teacher and leader of note, died in Cincinnati; born 1819.
- 1902—Cecil Rhodes, the South African diamond magnate, died at Cape Town; born 1854.

March 27 In History.

- 1625—James I. of England and VI. of Scotland died; born 1566; king of Scotland 1567, of England 1603.
- 1836—An American Texan, including Colonel J. W. Fannin, prisoners of war, were massacred at Goliad, Tex., by order of Santa Anna. The Texans were attacked and captured while attempting to march from Goliad to the succor of the Texans in the Alamo.
- 1847—Vera Cruz, Mexico, surrendered to General Scott after a short and spirited siege.
- 1888—Felix Octavius Carr Darley, noted artist, died near Claymont, Del.; born 1802.
- 1889—John Bright, British statesman, died in England; born 1811.
- 1900—General Edmund Kirby Smith, commander of the Boer army, died at Pretoria; born 1833.
- 1901—Jean Gazin, noted French artist, died in Paris; born 1840.

March 28 In History.

- 1790—Margaret Worthington, the celebrated actress, died; born 1718.
- 1794—Marquis de Condorcet, the French philosophic writer, died.
- 1801—Battle of Alexandria and death of General Sir Ralph Abercrombie; born 1754.
- 1846—The American army invaded Mexico.
- 1898—Earl Cardigan, leader of the Light brigade at Balaklava, killed by a fall from his horse; born 1794.
- 1898—General Edmund Kirby Smith, Confederate soldier in the west, died at Sewanee, Tenn.; born 1824.
- 1897—Margaret Junkin Preston, southern author, died in Baltimore; born in Philadelphia about 1825.
- 1901—Count Benetti, French ambassador at Berlin during the war excitement of 1871, died in Paris; born 1817.

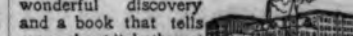
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Antisuffrage Argument That Slaves American.

Objection is made that the use of the ballot will degrade woman. Degradation by the ballot! The mere assertion is an insult to the whole American republican system of government.

Is this degradation to women to come about because of their association with men in political life? Surely we are not willing to say premeditatedly of ourselves that our characteristics are such that the women of our families cannot go openly in the light of day to any ballot box as American citizens and cast their vote without fear of insult. On the contrary, the rudeness that might be excusable in their absence would disappear as if it had never existed when they shall join with us in these political functions. Their influence will be as ennobling there as it has been in social life. I resent the insult which this statement implies in the name of every American gentleman. High or low, rich or poor, I resent the aspersion against the ballot that it ever degrades. It elevates, ennobles, never lessens; it never injures; it never can destroy.

The average woman is as well able to pursue her ordinary avocations and yet attend to the mere matter of depositing a ballot on election day, or even of attending to primary elections, as the average man is able to perform his usual duties and yet not fail to make the slightest sacrifice that the community demands of him. It is idle to say that women cannot afford the time; that their domestic duties absorb them too much. Were this true it would be bitter and condemnatory testimony of the injustice of men, who would insist upon their assuming occupations as to prevent them from studying the great political questions of the day, from familiarizing themselves with the affairs of state, from having sufficient leisure to devote a portion of their lives to their country's interests as well as those of the men with whom they are in affiliation.

EDWARD LAUTERBACH.

## LIMITING A RIGHT.

If Women May Vote For Some Officers, Why Not For All?

In the domain of local self government women are admitted to the elective franchise in England and her colonies, Sweden, Iceland, Finland, Russia, the state of Kansas in the United States and the rural districts of Austria, Prussia, Saxony and Brunswick.

They possess school suffrage in Norway and in twenty-six states of the United States, full suffrage in New Zealand, the Federated States of Australia and in Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Idaho. Eligibility to office is granted in many of the countries where they vote and many of those where they do not possess the franchise, while in those where they possess full political equality they are eligible to all public offices.

This study demonstrates that woman's right to the suffrage, her admission to or exclusion from the electorate, far from depending on any legal or logical principle, is recognized as simply a matter of legislation which reaches different conclusions in different countries and changing conclusions at different times in the same country.

To prove the impropriety of women participating in public affairs it would be necessary to show that the nature of government is such that participation in it would be injurious to the highest development of women, or else that the nature of women is such that their participation in public affairs would be injurious to the highest good of the state. To do this it would be necessary to show that women are not interested in all the affairs of state and that they do not possess the qualifications of good citizens. Neither of these propositions is true, for there is no concern of public life which does not affect women equally with men, and there is no qualification of good citizenship possessed by men which we do not find in women.

REV. ANNA H. SHAW.

## Antisuffragists in Politics.

One of the most amusing and encouraging manifestations of the progressive enlightenment of women is the so called antisuffrage movement. A few estimable women are alarmed at the demand that women shall be recognized as responsible citizens, and in order to prevent it they form what may properly be called a political organization. They elect officers, employ lecturers, hold meetings, attend public hearings, circulate tracts—resort, in short, to every imaginable political method to persuade men not to allow their sister women or themselves to express their opinions at the polls. But in doing so they abandon their own ground and enter politics. Surely addressing public meetings and issuing printed manifestoes involve more publicity than merely dropping a piece of paper in a box once or twice a year. It would puzzle the Society Opposed to the Further Extension of Suffrage to Women to explain why they condemn voting for governor or president while some of them vote and urge other women to vote for an improved school committee and even serve on school boards or as overseers of the poor.

HENRY B. BLACKWELL.

A Great Thinker on Woman Suffrage. In England the woman's suffrage movement began with John Stuart Mill. In 1859 he advocated the extension of the suffrage to all householders without distinction of sex on condition of ability to read, write and calculate, for, said he, "there is no essential difference between the powers of men and women." In 1869 he gave fresh life to the cause by the publication of his famous essay, entitled "The Subjection of Women."

## WITH THE DOCTORS.

Among the recent inventions in medical apparatus is a sweating robe heated by electricity for the treatment of such diseases as are susceptible to the influence of electricity applied in the form of heat.

The robe, says a writer in the Scientific American, is made of two layers sewed together. A resistance wire arranged in zigzag folds is interposed between these layers. When in use, the patient is wrapped in this robe, and a current of proper strength is



NOVEL SWEATING ROBE.

passed through the resistance wire to generate heat. The arrangement of the wire poles is such as to evenly distribute the heat throughout the robe. By regulating the current varying degrees of heat may be obtained.

On account of the zigzag disposition of the resistance wire the robe may be readily rolled up into a small bundle.

## Bacteria on Fruit Skins.

Danger of disease, death perhaps, hides on the surface of every piece of fruit, and the rosy cheek of the apple or the purple covering of the grape may be using its attractiveness only to lure you on to your doom.

This startling state of affairs is laid before the public in a report recently issued by Dr. B. Ehrlich, a physician of Strassburg, who has just concluded a series of experiments at the Institute of Hygiene and Bacteriology in the university of that city.

That the infection of fruit with bacteria to such an extent as the report of Dr. Ehrlich shows will be a general surprise even in these days, when we are suspicious of the water, the street car strap, the public drinking cup and practically everything we come in contact with. But that half a pound of cherries should be carrying around 12,000,000 bacteria, each one of which may be aiming to destroy your life, with a good chance of succeeding, is a bit of startling information.

It has been known that vegetables could be held responsible for the transmission of much sickness, acting as vehicles for the germs of disease—indeed there have been cases where epidemics have been traced to the vegetables—but much of the danger of this was neutralized by the cooking of the food. However, that fruit, which usually is eaten practically in its original state, holds so great a peril is a more serious matter.

In the condition in which it is placed upon the market the surface of fruit is almost always unclean. On the surface millions of microscopic creatures exist. It has already been proved that in certain cases cholera, typhus and tuberculosis have been transmitted in this way. The danger can be partially obviated by peeling or washing the fruit.

## Insanity Among Women.

Professor Zimmer of Berlin has been investigating the causes of insanity among women and has come to the conclusion that if women are admitted into competition with men the inevitable result will be a tremendous increase of insanity among the women. He finds that the percentage of women teachers who become insane is almost double that of the men teachers. Inquiries were also made about women employed as telegraphers, sales clerks and in the telephone service, and furthermore, with regard to women engaged in the Swiss watchmaking trade. These inquiries showed that in the occupations mentioned a far larger proportion of women than men succumb to mental disorders.

## NEW ENGINE INVENTED.

Run by Liquid Air, It is Said to Approach Perpetual Motion.

J. F. Place, a patent attorney of New York, thinks that he has devised a system of liquefying air and of using the product for the generation of power which is superior to that of Mr. Tripler. In details his process and mechanism are different from the latter's, but the main principle of his scheme is apparently the same, says the New York Tribune.

Mr. Place proposes to turn to account the heat that is in the atmosphere and says that he can get more power out of his machinery than he put into it. Having once produced 100 gallons of liquid air by means of an ordinary steam engine, he thinks that he can go on endlessly developing more and more power out of the liquid air and discard the original motor entirely.

Mr. Place has not himself discovered any fallacy in his reasoning, although he admits that other people tell him he has invented "perpetual motion" again. He has had in operation for several months a small engine, which he refers to as demonstrating his theories.

## A Scientific Problem Solved.

Professor Wood of Johns Hopkins has made a screen which does not admit heat rays and bars all light rays except the ultra violet. For thirty years scientists have sought such a screen.

## Boston &amp; Northern St. Ry. Co. Time Table. Woburn Division.

On and after July 1, 1902, cars will run as follows:

WEEK DAYS.  
Leave Lowell for Tewksbury, Wilmington, No. Woburn, Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 6.15 a. m., then every half hour until 10.15 p. m., then \*10.45, \*11.15 p. m.  
Leave Wilmington for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 6.32, 7.22 a. m., then every half hour until 10.52 p. m., \*11.32, \*11.52 p. m.

Leave North Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 5.34, 5.49 (Winchester only), 6.04, 6.19, 6.34, 6.49, 7.04, 7.19 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.34 a. m., then 10.44, and every half hour until 1.04, then 1.19 p. m., then every 15 minutes until 7.19 p. m., then 7.34, and every half hour until 10.34, 11.19 p. m.

Leave Woburn centre for Winchester and Medford at 5.45, 6 (Winchester only), 6.15, and every 15 minutes until 9.30 a. m., then 9.45 a. m., then every half hour until 1.15, then 1.30 p. m., then every 15 minutes until 7.30 p. m., then 7.45 p. m., and every half hour until 10.45, then 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Medford at 6.30, 6.45 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10 a. m., then 10.30 a. m., then every half hour until 1.30 p. m., then 1.45, then every 15 minutes until 8, then 8.30, then every half hour until 11, then 11.45 p. m.

RETURNING.  
Leave Medford square for Winchester, Woburn and No. Woburn at 6.15, 6.45, 7, then every 15 minutes until 10 a. m., then 10.15 a. m., then every half hour until 1.45, then 2 p. m., then every 15 minutes until 8 p. m., then 8.15, then every half hour until 11.15, then 12 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7, then every 15 minutes until 10.15, then 10.30 a. m., then every half hour until 2 p. m., then 2.15, then every 15 minutes until 8.15, then 8.30, then every half hour until 11.30 p. m., then 12.15 a. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 6.30 a. m., then every half hour until 10 p. m.

SUNDAYS.  
Leave Lowell for Tewksbury, Wilmington, No. Woburn, Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 7.15 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.15, \*10.45, \*11.15 p. m.

Leave Wilmington for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 7.52, 8.22 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.52, \*11.22, \*11.52 p. m.

Leave North Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 6.34, a. m., then every 30 minutes until 1.04 p. m., then 1.19, then every 15 minutes until 8.49, then 9.04, then every 30 minutes until 10.34, then 11.09 p. m.

Leave Woburn centre for Winchester and Medford at 6.45, and every 30 minutes until 1.15 p. m., then 1.30, and every 15 minutes until 9.15 p. m., then 9.45, and every 30 minutes until 10.45, then 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Medford at 7 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 1.30 p. m., then 1.45, then every 15 minutes until 10, then 10.30, then every 30 minutes until 11, then 11.45 p. m.

RETURNING.  
Leave Medford square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 1.45 p. m., then 2, then every 15 minutes until 9.45, then 10.15, then every 30 minutes until 11.15, then 12 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Woburn and North Woburn at 7.30 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 2 p. m., then 2.15, then every 15 minutes until 9.45, then 10, then every half hour until 11.30 p. m., then 12.15 a. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10 p. m.

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## Wakefield Division.

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Leave Central Square, Stoneham, for Winchester and Arlington at \*5.20, \*5.50, \*6.20, \*6.50, then \*7.35, 8.05 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.35 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington at \*5.40, \*6.10, \*6.40, \*7.10, then \*7.55, 8.25 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.55 p. m.

RETURNING.  
Leave Arlington for Winchester at \*6.00, \*6.30, \*7.00, \*7.30, then \*8.15, 8.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.45 p. m., then 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at \*6.20, \*6.50, \*7.20, \*7.50, then \*8.35, 9.05 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.05 p. m., then 11.45 p. m.

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## Newsy Paragraphs.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held in the vestry of the Congregational church, Friday, March 27th, at 3 p. m.

The people of Waltham are rejoicing and enjoying their trolley ride to Boston without change of cars. We will be pleased to see the Arlington cars going to Sullivan Square from our town.

Mrs. Meade has given the use of her house to the young ladies of the Episcopal church for the sale which is to take place March 28th. The tables will be filled with useful and beautiful articles.

Canoing commenced on Mystic lake Washington's Birthday, when a party from the Medford Boat Club were out on the lower lake. Several young ladies were in the party. The swimming season opened last Saturday, when the two Trott brothers, Frank and Ed, went in off the Medford boat. They said the water was cold, but the air fine.

The Wawbewa Canoe Club of Auburndale have sent out invitations to a smoker to be held at their club house next Friday evening which are very unique. They are in the form of a large card and worded in the Indian manner of speech. The closing sentence reads, "Chiefs and braves will be welcome but bring not the 'squaws' for their tongues are long and time is short." In one corner of the invitation is a picture representing the different clubs landing from their canoes at the Wawbewa's lodge. The Winchester Boat Club is represented by a tall Indian in a canoe doing the hand paddle. Several Winchester and Medford canoeists have been invited.

The Medford Boat Club war canoe was out for the first time Sunday morning.

Rev. J. W. Suter and family returned to Winchester from Boston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Horne lost an infant child by death last week.

There was a great rush to pay overdue water bills last Friday and Saturday after the note of warning had appeared in the STAR.

Mr. Herbert L. Vose has been elected captain of the Bankers and Brokers baseball team of Boston.

Arthur S. Littlefield has been bowling on the Butter team in the Marketmen's League. He has an average of over 90.

Sumner T. McCall is to have a prominent part in the coming Pi Eta show at Harvard.

The Ladies' Friendly Society will hold a rummage sale early in April.

The Boston & Northern Company are making preparations to give the travelling public better accommodations this summer than they have given them heretofore. A large number of new cars will soon be placed upon the road and efforts made to secure the right to lay a double track from North Woburn to Medford.

Mrs. S. W. McCall has invited a number of Winchester ladies and gentlemen to her home on Sunday, March 22, to hear Bible Readings by Miss Cole.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Vreeland who passed away last week at the age of 80 years.

was one of the oldest members of the Ladies' Western Missionary Society of the Congregational Church.

Mr. Thomas Lynch of Montvale, son of Mr. John Lynch of this town, suffered the loss of his infant child last week. The burial was Saturday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Proctor of Brookside avenue has been quite ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Edwin C. Fisher of Hillcrest has not only cleared his estate of brown-tail moth pests, but also the trees on the opposite side of Highland avenue.

Mrs. George Ambler went to Maine last week to visit her sister who is ill with typhoid fever.

The Carpenters' Union will give an entertainment in Waterfield Hall, Common street, next Tuesday evening. The work being put into the details ensures an evening of pleasure.

A most delightful and healthy form of recreation is obtained through the use of a naphtha launch on that picturesque sheet of water, Mystic lake. L. G. Hudson of 183 Pearl street, Somerville, has a variety of launches for sale, from 16 feet upward. He can also be consulted in the evening at his home on Stone avenue.

Mr. Frank E. Buker gave a stereopticon lecture at the Congregational Church Sunday evening on "A Horseback Trip Through Palestine with Pencil and Camera." The instructive lecture was much enjoyed by a large audience.

A neighborhood social was held at Mrs. Bellville's last Friday evening. The guests who came were requested to pay four cents for every foot of their height and the number of inches over deducted from that. Cake and ice cream were served. The social was given so as to try to raise enough money for a new piano for the Bethany Chapel.

Mrs. Ella Small, formerly proprietor of the Tremont House, was in town last week visiting friends.

Mrs. James Budreau, has taken the Tremont House on Main street, and will change the name to Hotel Preston.

A business that is heard of but little is the Winchester Laundry which turns out with neatness and despatch the polished shirt fronts of nearly a quarter of the male population of the town, not to mention the high quantity of other wearing apparel. The proprietor, Mr. Downer, is, we suspect, too busy to talk much.

Mr. Frank L. Winn has taken possession of his new house on Euclid avenue.

Mr. Charles W. Bradstreet made a quick call at the STAR office Tuesday. This gentleman and his estimable wife expect to again resume housekeeping in Winchester soon.

The STAR was in error last week when it said that Mrs. Edward F. Jones was sister to the late Mr. Walter Keustenmacher, as this is not so.

Mr. Edwin R. Rooney has been elected captain of the National Shawmut Bank Clerks' ball team.

John D. McIntosh, who has been employed in the Calendar Room of the Reading Rubber Manufacturing Company, has secured a situation as a mortician on the Brookline and Brighton surface cars of the Boston Elevated Railway Company.

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## Newsy Paragraphs.

Mrs. Nellie Hall Root of Chicago, gave a reading on Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Samuel McCall before a number of Winchester ladies. Mrs. Root, who has a very sympathetic voice, well suited to the subject, chose the interpretation of The Browning Love Letters and held the closest attention of the large audience, who thoroughly enjoyed the occasion.

Miss Alba Furley of Boston spent Sunday with Mrs. Brainard Coffin of Fairmount street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hatch are the glad parents of a son, born last Thursday night.

Mr. Jewett Holdsworth and son, Raymond, of Washington street, spent Sunday with relatives in Worcester, Mass.

Mr. E. Lawrence Barnard and Miss Grace Barnard went to Washington Thursday for a short rest. They will probably go farther South before returning. Mrs. Barnard who is convalescing from a severe attack of the grippe, was not able to take the journey.

Miss Ruth Lawrence is being treated at a hospital in Boston. It is the earnest wish of hosts of friends that this young lady may return to her home in greatly improved health.

At the meeting of the Board of Health last Friday evening, Dr. B. T. Church was elected chairman and James Hinds secretary.

Mr. Charles Mills of Euclid avenue arrived home Saturday from an extended trip to Mexico.

Mrs. C. A. Ramsdell still remains quite sick at her home on Main street. Her system is slow to respond to the careful and scientific treatment received.

Dr. Walter J. Marley, Superintendent of the Rutland Sanitarium for consumptives was the guest of Dr. Shepherd a few days the first of the week. Dr. Marley while he attended the medical school.

There were two alarms of Saturday afternoon within an hour. The first was for a brush fire in the Fells and the second was for a grass fire on Swanton street.

Miss Marian Browning who went to the Rutland sanitarium some months ago, has almost completely recovered and will be at home in a few weeks.

Mrs. Thomas King is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Curley. Mrs. King has just arrived from Europe where she has been visiting her brother, the Rev. Edward Byrne of Cheshire, England, and her son, U. S. Consul at Cille, France.

The District Conference of the Woman's Auxiliaries to the Third District of the Y. M. C. Associations will take place in the M. E. church all day next Wednesday. The Winchester members taking part are Mr. Gay, Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Hicks. The subjects to be discussed will be "Devotional," "Membership," "Social" and "Boy's Work Committees," besides many others relating to Y. M. C. A. work. Mrs. G. W. Payne is a member of the District Committee.

The Rev. Henry Norman of Lynn will preach in White's Hall—over Young & Brown's drug store—Sunday at 10.30, 3 and 7 o'clock. All are invited to come and hear the truth.

"Force," a ready-to-serve, ready-to-digest, delightful food, brings the independent strength that comes of health.

Mrs. Walter Ailman is visiting relatives in Detroit.

The following will probably be the new officers of the Boat Club: J. Herbert Dwinell, president; F. L. Ripley, vice-president; W. J. Ladd, secretary; C. E. Barrett, treasurer.

Mr. R. M. Armstrong, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., expects shortly to take a trip West.

If the brown-tail moth of this city has the least conception of the imminent peril its life is in, it must tremble in its boots about these days. If it is prudent, and possesses a particle of forethought, it will speedily get out of this neck of timber just as fast as its legs will carry it, for our City Council are in dead earnest, and that \$500 appropriation is a tough proposition for the moth to buck against.—[Woburn Journal.]

If the readers of the STAR would like to see a generous display of nests of the brown-tail moth they should look from the windows on the train on the right hand side of the tracks between College Hill and North Somerville station. The trees are literally covered with the nests.

The lady reader who was to appear before the ladies of the Calumet club last Friday afternoon was unable to do so because of sickness. Mr. A. E. Whitney generously took her place, giving delightful pianola music, besides playing during the serving of tea.

The quartette at the Unitarian Church will sing Sunday morning. The Lost Sheep, Jordan; Alto solo, "Fac ut portem," from "Stabat Mater"; Quartet, "Quando Corpus," from "Stabat Mater"; Bass solo, Pro peccatis, from "Stabat Mater."

Mr. Howard C. Doane takes up his duties the first of April, as bass in a church in Boston, thus severing his connection with the Unitarian Church Quartette here. His kind geniality will be much missed not only in the church but in the Sunday School where he has lent a helping hand in leading the singing.

Miss Helen Winn has been in Buffalo, N. Y., for the last two weeks. While there, she took a trip to Niagara Falls, which she much enjoyed, going all the way by trolley. She is now in Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Lane returned this week from a trip to Jamaica extending about seven weeks. Just how many fish were secured by Mr. Lane we have not as yet learned, but will inform our readers next week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilde and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mason returned from the south this week.

The interesting lectures by Mr. Charles Ferguson will be continued for some weeks longer at No. 6 Marlborough street, Boston, on Wednesday afternoons at 3.30.

Mr. John Maxwell of Cross street, who is in Alabama, will accept thanks for a bundle of newspapers.

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Geo. H. Gilbert purchased this week of Spencer Borden, Esq., of Fall River, his beautiful mare "Minx." Her sire is an imported Arab bred horse, owned by Mr. Borden, and her dam, an Exmoor mare, imported by the late Spencer W. Coe of New York, an old friend of Mr. Gilbert when he resided in that city. "Minx" is to be sent to Ware, for Mr. Gilbert's niece, the young daughter of Col. Edward Hooker Gilbert. Mr. Gilbert's great road horse "Mark" (by Jerome Eddy 2.16), who covers 15 miles in one hour as easily as most horses do 7, came also from Fall River, a city noted not only for its great cotton mills but for gentlemen's high bred road horses.

The pupils of the High school regret exceedingly the resignation of Sub-Master Earnest L. Collins. He always sought to advance their intellectual welfare, and constantly endeavored to create an interest in athletics that embodied all that was manly and healthful.

Ezra Allen Stevens, four months old, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Stevens, died Tuesday.

Continued interest in the work of the A. O. U. W. is still maintained by the members of the subordinate lodges. A net increase in membership was the result of a month for year ending Feb. 1, 1903. Members of Winchester Lodge will be interested tonight in hearing reports from the Grand Lodge session and initiation of new members.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson of Cross street have had as a guest Mr. Edward Richardson of Barrington, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Glidden of Brookside avenue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born Tuesday.

Mrs. Swan of Irving street has been visiting her sister in Connecticut. She had a delightful trip.

Mrs. Henry Smalley of Cross street spent Tuesday with an old friend in Roxbury.

Mrs. Mayo, who underwent an operation at St. Margaret's Hospital, has returned to the home of her brother, Mr. Walter Smalley of Cross street.

The Endeavorers at their last meeting voted a half scholarship of \$3 to some student in Rollins College, Florida, also the proportionate share of the Church for the support of the hospital chaplain, Rev. Seth Mitchell, in Boston, which is about \$15.

Dr. Mead has built an automobile shelter in his yard at the rear of his house.

Reading has increased its assessed land value in the aggregate in nine years 35.8 per cent. while Wakefield has increased her land value 105 per cent. Winchester 78 per cent. Stoneham 50 per cent. When the increase in the value of the buildings is compared, Reading increased its value in the aggregate 46.9 per cent. Wakefield 32.6 per cent. Winchester 78 per cent. Stoneham 34 per cent. Comparing the gain in personal estate, Reading shows 39 per cent. Wakefield 124 per cent. Winchester 32 per cent.

About forty of the residents of the Highlands spent a very enjoyable evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Belville of Brookside avenue on Friday evening, March 13. The occasion was a neighborhood social under the Bethany Y. P. S. C. E.

"Late Weddings" is the heading that appeared in a paper in a neighboring town last week. Were the ministers late or were the married couples getting beyond that period in life when true love ceases to exist.

If you are not taking books from the Circulating Library you are missing a good thing. No annual dues, no life memberships, simply 2 cents a day while you have a book; start and stop any time you please. Call in and look them over, 327 in all. A. Wm. Rooney, 181 Main street, "The Paper Store."

School children in Lynn are making great strides in exterminating the brown-tail moth. Saturday last was a great day for the boys and girls engaged in this work, and small armies of children went through orchards, public grounds and private estates removing the nests and transferring them to their respective schools to be counted, certified to and destroyed. Up to noon the pupils of the Tracy school had destroyed 45,850 nests, and a number of other schools are pretty close to that mark.

Carter's and Treasury paste does not discolor delicate paper. Tube form a Wilson's store.

The next meeting of the Fortnightly will be on Monday, March 23, Mrs. Effie J. Wilde will be the chairman of the afternoon. Miss Jane G. Ryder will give a lecture on "A winter with St. Gaudens."

It is a blessing that politics does not figure in police affairs in Winchester as they do in Stoneham and Revere, to the disgrace and injury of those towns.

The State Board of Agriculture has issued a circular advising the cities and towns of the state infested with the gypsy and brown-tail moths to distribute free quantities of crescent for the destruction of the insects. Those cities that have already adopted this method have found it so practical and effective that the board recommends its general adoption.

The board calls attention to the very important fact that if something is not done immediately to preserve the trees affected they will be ruined, for the evergreen trees cannot survive a single defoliation and others are weakened by every attack from the moth and will die after the second or third defoliation.

Three candidates were initiated into Aberjona Council Tuesday evening. A delegation from the Council went to Lowell to visit the Council of that city last evening. One of the best times of the year was enjoyed, the Lowell boys doing everything possible for the visitors.

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## ANOTHER FREE DISTRIBUTION.

A. B. Grover will receive more samples of Mi-o-na.

The advertisement of the distribution of samples of Mi-o-na, the great dyspepsia cure, published in the STAR of last Friday was so successful that the supply was soon exhausted and many people were disappointed. In order to fulfill their offer the proprietors of Mi-o-na have sent several hundred more samples to A. B. Grover and any one by cutting out the following coupon and presenting it at his store, can obtain without charge a two day's treatment of this great dyspepsia remedy.

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The distribution of samples shows more conclusively than anything else possibly could, the great merit of this remedy. If Mi-o-na did not do all that is claimed for it the distribution of samples would be the most foolish way the proprietors could take to advertise it.

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## Mystic Valley Bowling League.

Calumet took a two in three win from the Highland club in the Mystic Valley League on Monday night. The only string which was close was the second, which Calumet won by one pin. Capt. Philbrick of the Calumet team had high single with 111, and Littlefield took the honors for total with 278.

CALUMET.			
Littlefield.....	88	99	278
Huse.....	91	85	255
Philbrick.....	101	73	251
Richardson.....	83	89	256
Parrington.....	81	81	251
Totals.....	454	427	1301

HIGHLAND.			
McDonald.....	85	84	261
May.....	84	86	255
Stevens.....	89	88	265
Crocker.....	86	89	265
Crandon.....	73	79	251
Totals.....	437	436	1305

## Young People's Social.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church gave a most unique and successful social in the vestry last Thursday evening. The feature of the evening was "Prof. Munson's Magic Lantern." Erastus B. Badger in the role of a young gallant seeking a better half was shown fair visions of young ladies. Among those who took part were: Miss Helen Redfern, Miss Mabel Stinson, Miss Clara Allen, Miss Marion Simonds, Miss Elsie Lowry, Miss Mabel Vinton, Miss Bessie Browning, Miss Edith Browning, Miss Amy White, Miss Esther Barnard, Miss Cassie Sanborn, Miss Portia Lawson, Miss Gertrude Carter. The social committee in charge was Miss Gertrude Carter, Miss Esther Barnard and Mr. Erastus B. Badger. During the intermission Miss Mabel Wingate, accompanied on the piano by Miss Florence Park, tastefully rendered a violin solo. Immediately after the tableaux a most pleasant social hour was enjoyed.

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TOWN MEETING.

Final Session a Protracted One—Additional Land for the Howe Lot—Probably a New Location for Town Stable and Yard—Fire Engine House Laid Over for a Year—More Land to Protect the Cemetery—A New Bridge for Bacon St.—The Boston & Northern to be sued.

When Moderator Rich called the third session of the annual town meeting to order Monday evening there was a fair attendance of citizens, despite the extremely disagreeable weather.

GRADE CROSSING.  
The first business to be taken up was the motion offered by Mr. Fred Joy to reconsider Article 15, for the purpose of offering an amendment to Mr. Prime's vote on grade crossing passed at the last meeting, whereby the special committee be given power to fill vacancies on the committee. The vote as amended, was unanimously passed, as follows:

That whereas the crossing of the high-ways by the Boston & Maine Railroad in the center of the town of Winchester, as at present maintained, is a dangerous menace to the safety of the public, and should be abolished.

That a committee of five, consisting of John Challis, Elmore D. Fletcher, C. T. Main, T. C. Hurd and Charles Mills be appointed a committee who shall investigate and report in print to the next annual town meeting upon the subject of the abolition of the crossing of highways by railroads and street railways at grade in this town, with suggestions and recommendations as to the best method of accomplishing such abolition as shall seem to them expedient. Such Committee shall include in their report estimates of the probable cost of such abolition by the several modes which may be said committee be suggested as possible, including therein land damages, if any.

ADDITIONAL LAND FOR HOWE LOT.  
On motion of Mr. Lewis Parkhurst, under Article 16, the following was offered:

Moved, That \$500 be assessed upon the estates and polls of the town and appropriated for the purchase for school and library purposes of a lot of land situated between the Howe lot and the Parkway and extending from Main to Washington streets, the same to be expended under the direction of the board of Selectmen.

In explanation of his motion Mr. Parkhurst said that the strip contained 18,000 square feet of land and was a part of the land taken by the Metropolitan Park Commission in building the parkway on Walnut Street. He believed it was necessary that the town should own it.

Mr. Fred Joy had asked the Park Commission if the town could have a right of way over this land, and he was informed that they would sell it to the town for \$500 with the usual building restrictions.

Mr. H. F. Johnson did not believe the land could be legally purchased. The only way was to do it through the County Commissioners.

Mr. Parkhurst's motion was then passed.

MYSTIC AVENUE BRIDGE.

Under Article 17, the following was offered and passed:  
That the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to remove the old foot bridge at the lower end of Mystic Avenue when other means of approaching Wedgemere station, now under construction, are completed; the town expressly reserving however, all its rights in present Mystic Avenue lay-out.

REPORT OF AN IMPORTANT COMMITTEE.

The committee to consider the questions of a town stable and yard, fire engine house, ledge and a site for a town stable, fire house for the west side and the purchase of additional land for the cemetery embraced in articles 18 to 20 made the following report:

This committee consisted of D. W. Pratt, chairman; Marcus B. May, clerk; Lewis Parkhurst, D. B. Badger, Joseph J. Todd, A. S. Hall, James J. Fitzgerald, Frank Barr, Charles E. Redfern and Charles T. Main.

The committee attended to the matters assigned to them, and after full discussion of the subjects, and after conferring with the various interested Boards of the town, submit the following report:

Under article 18 which is as follows:

"To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for a town stable and yard, and purchase land for the same."

This committee fully endorses the report of the committee on engine house and town stable, as submitted in the reports of town officers, pages 240 to 246, concerning the condition of the present stable and the necessity of immediate action for a new stable.

The committee recommends that the town acquire that piece of land known as the Price lot, Winchester place, to the north of the present town yard, and the building of a substantial brick stable thereon in connection with the land already owned by the town at that locality, and hire from the Boston & Maine Railroad such land as may be necessary for a town yard at a rate not exceeding \$50 an acre.

The committee therefore recommends the following vote:

Voted, That the sum of \$5000 be assessed upon the polls and estates of the town and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of a committee to be appointed by the Moderator in the purchase of the lot of land and buildings thereon supposed to be owned by Mary J. Price, situated on Winchester place, adjoining the land now owned by the town.

Voted, That the Town Treasurer be and hereby is authorized and instructed under the direction of the Selectmen to issue and sell twelve coupon bonds of the town in sums of \$1000 each, the proceeds of said bonds, to the amount of \$12,000 are hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of a committee to be appointed by the Moderator for building, furnishing and equipping a town stable building on land now owned by the town and to be purchased by the town, situated on Winchester place.

Any vacancy occurring in said committee, by resignation or otherwise, may

be filled by the remaining members of said committee.

FIRE ENGINE HOUSE.

Under article 19, which is as follows:

"To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for a fire engine house, and purchase or take land for the same, or for altering or repairing the present engine house."

The committee unanimously agreed that the town is in great need of a new engine house, situated more conveniently than the present one, but in view of the amount of money necessary for purchasing the Price land and building a town stable, the committee is of the belief that it is for the best interests of the town to wait a short time before proceeding to the purchase of land and the construction of an engine house. The committee believes that the expenditure of any considerable sum of money on the present engine house would be extravagant and unwise in view of its present condition.

The committee feels that the houses and equipment of the Fire Department should be brought up to a standard equal to that in adjoining towns, in view of the increasing number of dwellings contained in the town. In the opinion of the committee, the next step taken toward improving the efficiency of the present department is the erection of a fire-house on the westerly side of the town, and its equipment with a combination chemical engine. This is recommended for consideration at the next annual town meeting. The committee further recommends that when that has been accomplished, the town should purchase a convenient lot of land and erect a new central station.

In consequence of this opinion, the committee recommends that no action be taken under this article, and that the article be dismissed from the warrant.

TOWN LEDGE.

Under Article 20, which is as follows:

"To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money to purchase a ledge and a site for a town stable and yard."

The committee reports as follows:

In view of the report under Article 18, no further comment is necessary regarding the matter of the town stable and yard and the site therefor.

Regarding the ledge, the committee are unanimously of the opinion that it is unwise for the town at this time to take any action regarding the purchase of a ledge. In arriving at this conclusion, the committee has considered the matter carefully and discussed various points in favor of and against the purchase of a ledge. The only ledge that was brought forward for consideration to the committee was the ledge known as the "Twombly ledge," and consequently, the committee did not consider any other ledge. In view of the fact that no request was made by any of the town departments for the purchase of a ledge, the various boards were invited to appear before the committee for an expression of opinion regarding the purchase of a ledge.

These various boards expressed themselves as opposed to the town purchasing the Twombly ledge. In order to ascertain the quality and suitability of the stone of the Twombly ledge for road purposes, the committee consulted the previous report concerning the quality of the stone. This previous report was made by a committee consisting of W. B. French, J. L. Ayer, John T. Wilson and F. V. Wooster, and their report was published in the "Winchester Star" on March 11, 1902.

A report was made to this committee by Mr. William E. McClintock, present chairman of the Massachusetts Highway Commission. The rock was examined by Mr. L. W. Page, an eminent geologist who is now employed by the United States government at Washington, D. C. (Here follows extract from report.)

This committee feels that, everything considered, and in view of the various reports of the quality of the rock, in the Twombly ledge, it would be unwise for the town to purchase this ledge. The committee therefore recommends that Article 20 be dismissed from the warrant.

NEW FIRE HOSE HOUSE.

Under Article 21, which was as follows:

"To see if the Town will appoint a committee to investigate the matter of establishing a fire hose house and equipment of the same on the westerly side of the town."

The committee are unanimously of the opinion that such committee should be appointed, and recommends the following vote:

Voted, That a committee of five voters of the town be appointed by the Moderator of this meeting to investigate as to the advisability of building an engine house on the westerly side of the town and of purchasing a combination chemical engine, horses to draw the same, and necessary appurtenances, and to report at the next annual town meeting as to the best site for the same, the cost of building said house, the purchase of said horses and appurtenances, and the cost of maintaining the same.

ADDITIONAL LAND FOR CEMETERY.

Under Article 22, which is as follows:

"To see if the Town will vote to purchase additional land for the cemetery, authorizing the use of the funds now in the Town Treasury and credited to the Cemetery Fund, in payment of the same, or raise or appropriate money therefor."

This was for the purchase of a strip of land along the westerly side of the cemetery towards Wildwood street. This land has an average width of 150 feet and is about one thousand feet in length. It includes Emerson street (about 100 feet wide) on the side next to the cemetery, and a piece of swamp land and a brook on the westerly side. Aside from the land cov-

The Country Club.

The members of the new Country Club are preparing for a most active season. The new grounds will not be ready for use until May 30, as it was deemed best to allow the grass to get well started before using the newly made course. The old links of the Golf Club, or a certain part of them, can be used until that date through the courtesy of Mr. Edwin Ginn and Mr. S. W. Twombly, who have generously tendered the club the use of their lands. The course which may properly be used by invitations of these gentlemen will be suitably marked by flags and will be kept in condition until May 30th. This will be done by persons interested.

The club house is being remodelled by Mr. Robert Coit, architect, and it will be ready in ample season for the opening. The course was laid out by Mr. Alexander Findlay, the well known golf expert, and this insures absolute perfection. The grading was thoroughly done by Contractor James J. Fitzgerald, and but little now remains to be done in the way of cleaning up the odds and ends.

The club has a membership of nearly 150 and the Gun Club is thinking of joining in a body, at least those members who do not already belong to the Country Club. It is proposed to have the grounds take first rank with the best in the State. The new officers are: President, Rev. John W. Suter; vice-president, Marshall C. Bouve; secretary, John Abbott; treasurer, George G. Kellogg. There are fifteen names on the waiting list with the probability of a large increase over this number.

Meeting of Mothers.

The Mothers' Meeting of the Congregational church was held at Mrs. Frank White's Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hicks president and Mrs. Robert Coit acting as secretary pro tem. It was a thimble party with program at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Symmes led a discussion delightfully based on several "Mother Books." She also gave additional books for mothers' reading to be found in our Public Library, having been aided in her choice by the librarian, Miss Quimby.

Miss Noyes distributed a valuable pamphlet sent out from Colorado College on Literature for children also the annual report of Consumers' League. Both sides of the question, reading for mother and child have thus been covered in the two connected programs for January and March.

The April meeting will probably be at Mrs. Harrison J. Parker's and will probably be led by Mrs. Marie A. Moore, club lecturer and art teacher, subject, "Art in its relation to home life."

Nathaniel A. Richardson's Article on Lincoln.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I do not know how much you pay Mr. Richardson for such an article as he wrote on Lincoln as printed in last week's STAR, but I do know no one else in Winchester could have produced such a truthful personal record, touching so closely the life and experience of one of our great immortal characters. I am sure I only echo the thanks of every thoughtful citizen of Winchester to Mr. Richardson for his good work in making public personal records of the many stirring scenes in his past experience and in giving our commonplace life of today glimpses of the heroic life of the past. Long may he live to flourish the pen and make his experiences so graphically expressed, a rich gift to the present and to posterity!

GRATEFUL READER.

Sullivan-Horn.

A very pleasant wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Van Horn, 24 Holborn street, Boston, at noon, Monday, March 23. Mr. William D. Sullivan of Rangeley, married Miss Caroline E. Van Horn. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. Winchester Adair, a former pastor of the bride in Portland, Me. The rooms were beautifully decorated with floral roses, the gift of the proprietors of the Boston Globe, to whose editorial force Mr. Sullivan belongs. A fine collation was served. The wedding was a strictly private affair, only members of the two families being present.

Baptist Church Notes.

Our special Gospel services have been very successful. Over a score have been added to the Christian life.

On Monday evening, meeting of the mission study class with H. T. Winn on Fairview Place.

Wednesday afternoon, meeting of the King's Daughters with Miss Macdonald.

Wednesday evening, prayer and covenant meeting.

Thursday, all-day sewing meeting of the Social Aid Society.

Danger of Colds and Grip.

The greatest danger from colds and grip is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases we have yet to learn of a single case resulting in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventative of that dangerous disease. It will cure a cold or an attack of the grip in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Young & Brown.

Mrs. Maud Dresser.

Mrs. Maud Dresser of Providence, R. I. died at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Wilde, Stratford Road, on Friday last, aged 30 years. Mrs. Dresser was taken ill while visiting here. Prayers were offered by Rev. J. W. Suter at the residence Saturday, when the remains were taken to Providence, where services were held at St. James Church.

Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, break up colds in 24 hours, cure feverishness, headache, stomach troubles, teething disorders, and destroy worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Emerson will occupy the Lewis Parkhurst residence during the absence of the family in Europe.

TOWN HISTORY.

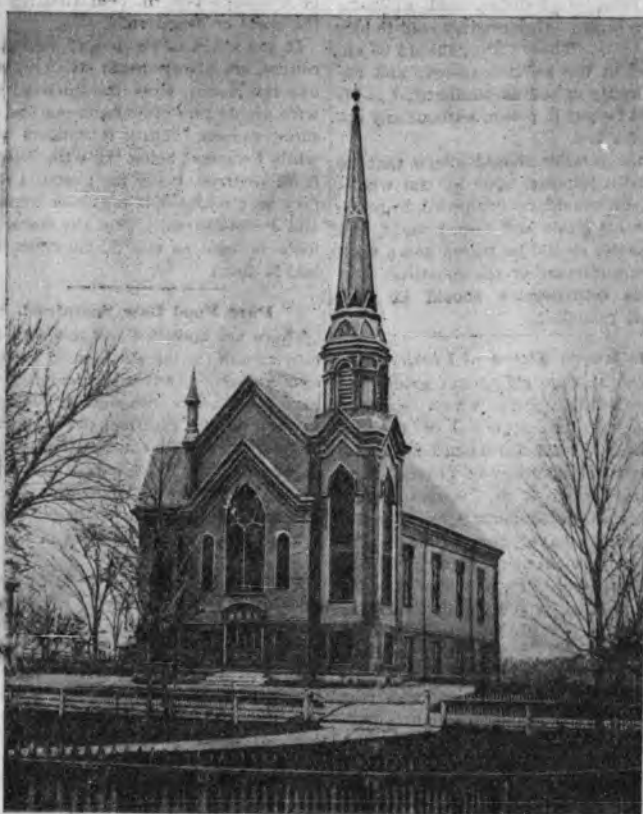
The Winchester Historical Society and its Proceedings—The Winchester Unitarian Society—First Meeting—of the Corporation Dec. 5, 1865—Its First Minister and the Early Members—The Houses of Worship—An Interesting Historical Paper—Part cix.

[Communicated by Abijah Thompson.]

WINCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
PROCEEDINGS  
George Cooke, Secretary  
PART XX  
WINCHESTER UNITARIAN SOCIETY  
Written for the Winchester Historical Society  
BY EDWIN AUGUSTUS WADLEIGH  
NO. 1

The first movement in regard to a Unitarian Society in Winchester was in the year 1855, when a Sunday school was organized by the writer, and continued nearly four

about one half of whom were brought by Mrs. Sharon from the Industrial School for Girls, which was then located in this town, and of which she was the matron. During that period evening meetings were held in the Mystic schoolhouse, at which the Rev. John F. W. Ware came up from Cambridgeport, Chas. Brooks and Theo. Tobbetts from Medford, B. Frost from Concord, and others of the clergy who joined in this mission work, and preached before interested audiences. The Sunday school and church services, however, were discontinued in the spring of 1858,



THE FIRST CHURCH EDIFICE.  
Dedicated March 17, 1870. Destroyed by fire Nov. 16, 1897.

years under his superintendence. Its meetings were held a portion of the time in the Mystic schoolhouse, and at other times in what is now Livingstone Hall, and the house of Mrs. Mary Sharon, who cheerfully gave the use of her rooms, and was herself untiring in her efforts to make the school a success. This good lady is still living, and her eighty-fifth birthday was pleasantly observed March 1, 1885. Although now prevented by physical inability from making any active efforts in the society, she yet retains the full possession of all her faculties, and is still deeply interested in whatever pertains to its usefulness and prosperity. Funds for the

partly from the difficulty of getting a good place of meeting, and because the Unitarian families in the town were not then ready to break away from the churches where they had been accustomed to attend service, and unite in an organization here. But as was well said by the deceased pastor of the present society: "No one can believe that the efforts of that little band of faithful teachers were entirely lost. Some minds must be wiser, some



WILDWOOD CEMETERY.  
Burial lot of R. V. Richard Metcalf.

lives happier, some hear a better, for what was done in those four years: inasmuch as in the whole field of Christianity there is no wasted seed, but whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

Several years elapsed after that disbanding, when the Rev. S. R. Calthrop came to spend a Sunday with his Winchester friends. About twenty-five persons who heard of his coming met in the parlour of Dr. Winsor's house, and there, on Sunday, November 19, 1865, listened to a sermon on "Inspiration" which inspired them with a determination to hear more of the same gospel. Another service was accordingly held in the lower Lyceum Hall on the following Sunday, at which more than eighty persons were assembled.

As the interest increased, on November 29, 1865, the following act of association was drawn up and signed:

We, the subscribers, citizens of the



CHARLES P. CURTIS.

town of Winchester and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the purpose of forming a corporation in accordance with the provisions of the thirty-second chapter of the Revised Statutes of Massachusetts, hereby associate ourselves together as a religious society for religious purposes in the town of Winchester aforesaid, under the corporate name of "The Winchester Unitarian Society."

The first meeting of said corporation to be held at the house of Dr. Frederick Winsor, of Winchester aforesaid, on Wednesday, the fifth of December, A. D. 1865, at half-past seven o'clock in the afternoon, notice whereof is hereby accepted.

Charles J. Bishop, Charles P. Curtis, Edward Shattuck, Frederick O. Prince, Edwin A. Wadleigh, F. Winsor, Joseph Goddard, Alexis H. Field, G. W. Spurr, C. J. Bishop, Jr., Thos. P. Ayer, Leonard Nutter, Joel Whitney, Geo. P. Brown, F. W. Perry, Wm. Pratt, Samuel F. Ham, Hosea Dunbar.

Cambridge, December 1, 1865. Received and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 959 p. 9.

Attest:  
CHAS. B. STEVENS, Registrar.



FREDERICK O. PRINCE.

Ten of these individuals are now connected with the society, six have removed to other places, and two have deceased.

The first meeting of the corporation was held on Wednesday evening, December 5, 1865, at which meeting C. J. Bishop was chosen moderator; Chas. P. Curtis, clerk; F. Winsor, treasurer; C. J. Bishop, T. P. Ayer, E. J. Wadleigh, F. O. Prince and Edward Shattuck, standing committee in connection with the clerk and treasurer. A code of by-laws was adopted, and the third religious society in Win-



EDWIN A. WADLEIGH.

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Gastronomic Standard Needed.

We read frequently in the public prints of claims set up by various persons in divers sections of the country to the honor of gastronomic championship. It must be admitted that these claims are frequently well founded, but the difficulty in awarding the prize lies in the fact that there is no generally accepted standard for the measurement of such feats.

The latest aspirant for the honor of being called "champion eater of the world" is a favorite son of Alabama. He is named Milam, and he is called "Cap." He first achieved notoriety by eating six dozen oysters at a sitting. Lately the young men of Alexander City, where he lives, have been making wagers with him about his capacity. Recently he ate 103 bananas, winning \$4 by so doing, and declared his intention of eating 125 next time if some one would give him \$10 for it. All this would be more to the young man's credit if he had not made his record on a sort of food not customarily used in contests.

And just here comes in the necessity of a gastronomic standard. When one man consumes bananas, another bivalves, still another ice cream and a fourth broken glass and swords, how is a discriminating public to tell which is the most eminent eater? At the very outset there arise such perplexing questions as these: How many crullers equal a ham? If A eats a whole turkey and B eats eighty-two cream puffs, which wins? A man who can swallow a bushel of buttered popcorn often quails before a cubic inch of sweet pudding.

There may be many aspirants for gastronomic distinction who perform noble and heroic acts worthy of honorable mention, but clearly there can be but one simon pure champion. And this cannot be satisfactorily settled until a definite standard is adopted.

In New York and some other places the capacity of the human stomach is systematically and legally measured in beefsteaks. With the present high prices of beef, however, the adoption of this standard might entail financial hardship upon impecunious but worthy and ambitious aspirants for the honor of being the "world's champion eater." Perhaps we may have to worry along for a time without a universally recognized champion in this field of human endeavor.

The Partition of Morocco.

The cable dispatches which come from Tangier would seem to indicate that the sultanate of Morocco is in process of disintegration. The power of Sultan Mulai Abdul-Aziz is apparently collapsing, and as three or four European states have been contemplating the annexation of considerable sections of that great region the present crisis in the country tends to bring their schemes to a point.

Spain has a small foothold on the Moroccan coast and wants much more of the country. Deprived of her West Indian and Asiatic colonies, she covets this virgin field of settlement and enterprise which lies at her own door, and she would logically appear to be entitled to the field.

But France has designs on Morocco which evidently must be taken into account should it come to the point of partition. The Algerian domain, all French, encroaches steadily on Moroccan territory. The western frontier of Algeria is upon wheels. It moves nearer and nearer toward the Atlantic. Will it reach the ocean at last, leaving to Spain only the Mediterranean fringe opposite Gibraltar?

That is a question which the settlement of the present difficulty in Morocco may answer. Besides, there are other European powers eager for territorial possessions outside their present limits which are likely to take a hand in the game. Apparently Europe has more important business nearer home than the collection of a comparatively insignificant debt from a weak and impotent South American state.

The Southern Railway company has made arrangements to spend more than \$4,000,000 for rolling stock next year. This is in line with preparations made by practically every railroad company in the country. The experience of the last few weeks in the matter of handling freight shows the pressing need of more adequate equipment.

A Wilkesbarre (Pa.) man has advertised for a wife, offering to give \$12,000 to the first satisfactory applicant. She must, however, be in the neighborhood of thirty-five years of age. Where is the lady who will confess to thirty-five years for a paltry \$12,000?

It is stated that President Castro was the traveling representative of a Cincinnati wholesale liquor house before he went to Venezuela. Perhaps this may account for his exuberant flow of spirits.

It is stated that Pennsylvania has a statute making the employment of children under thirteen years of age unlawful. This would appear to be news in the anthracite coal regions.

Signor Marconi might send a wireless message of sympathy to Signor Mascagni.

The Adulteration of Drugs.

The health department of the city of New York has been conducting some interesting experiments and investigations touching the adulteration of drugs sold for household remedies. Out of 373 powders purchased at various stores in the borough of Brooklyn only fifty-eight were found to be pure. Two hundred and sixteen of the powders contained a drug called phenacetin, and the remainder was acetanilid, a drug which acts directly on the heart and is likely to cause serious results to a person with a weak heart. Four contained phenacetin and starch, and thirty-two were composed entirely of acetanilid. Two others contained phenacetin and sugar, and one was composed of antipyrine and quinine.

There are unquestionably hundreds of specifics that contain ingredients other than those advertised. Whether the outside ingredients are harmful or not makes no difference to the buyer, who is defrauded when he pays for something that he is not getting. The use of drugs has become so common in the community that dishonest dealers find an enormous profit in adulterations, and in cases where the composition of the specific is a trade secret there is an undue opportunity for fraud.

As in the adulteration of food, there should be stricter regulations as to spurious drugs, and the matter should have the serious attention of boards of health. It has been suggested that every big city in this country should establish and maintain at public expense a municipal laboratory. To this laboratory every citizen should be free to take samples of drugs, food, alcoholic drinks or any other product sold to him in the city. These things should be analyzed at the public expense, and the man guilty of selling adulterated goods should be put in prison without any option of a fine.

If the retailer should allege that he had been imposed upon by the wholesaler, he should be compelled to prove where his goods had been bought, and the matter should be traced down until the manufacture of the substitute and all his confederates should be adequately punished.

Is Russia Tiring of France?

There is some significant grumbling in the Russian press, which can only speak with the approval of the authorities, over the threatened reduction in the naval efficiency of France. The Novoye Vremya of St. Petersburg says openly that the Emperor Alexander III. would never have entered into an alliance with the French republic if he had not felt the need of a powerful fleet for the protection of the Russian mercantile marine. With the Russian fleet the French navy could, it says, have disputed the mastery of the seas with Great Britain, and this was the real cause of the Franco-Russian agreement. All this time, argues the Novoye Vremya, France has derived enormous benefit from the compact because she has been able to attend to her affairs without fear of Germany, whereas Russia has been kept in a condition of perpetual anxiety lest a reduction of the French naval resources should constitute a breach of the agreement. It then continues: "If the opinion that the task of the French fleet should consist in defending the French coasts and not in active operations definitely triumphs in France, what assistance could our allies render us in a naval war against Russia? We, on our side, should be bound to help them at the cost of much Russian blood in the event of a land war against France."

There is nothing altruistic in the policy of Russia, and if the Russo-French alliance is to endure the French must do their share toward the establishment of a strong defensive and offensive union.

Much curiosity has been awakened in Brooklyn, N. Y., over the identity of an anonymous donor of \$15,000 to a church building fund. Various persons have been suggested as the one who made the gift, among them Morgan, Rockefeller and Carnegie; but, strangely enough, no one has thought to mention in this connection the name of either Russell Sage or Hetty Green.

With Julia Ward Howe bewailing the prevalence of gambling among women and Lucy Page Gaston scolding them for cigarette smoking it is gratifying to read the testimony of Mary A. Livermore that women do not drink. At least she says she does not know any women who drink.

There is now a bill before congress providing for an elastic currency, though there is no immediate prospect that the dollar will stretch any farther at the butcher shop and the coal yard than formerly.

Latest dispatches from Fez would appear to indicate that the Muley brothers of Morocco, Muley Abdul Aziz and Muley Mohammed, are still treating each other in a rather mulish way.

A Kansas judge has ruled that the Bible may be read in the public schools of that state and that the theaters may be run on Sunday. This ought to give consolation to varying shades of opinion.

Rifling the Husband's Pockets.

The supreme court of Maine has settled, at least so far as its jurisdiction extends, a much controverted point—to wit, the right of a wife to rifle the pockets of her sleeping husband. From the report of the case at bar it appears that one Godfrey Harrison negotiated a sale of certain garden and farm truck with a gentleman who paid in cash and that there passed from him to Godfrey the neat little sum of \$381. In the guilelessness of his heart Godfrey told the wife of his bosom of his transaction and the cash, which he left in the pocket of his trousers, placing the same under his pillow, and slept the sleep of the just and honest farmer of Maine. His awakening was somewhat rude, and the scene that followed is no part of the record. It is sufficient to state that Penelope Harrison, the wife of his bosom, during the still watches of the night had taken the trousers from underneath her husband's pillow, abstracting therefrom the sum of \$500 and returning to its abiding place the balance.

Then Godfrey halted Penelope to court in an action to determine whether she was guilty of the trover and conversion of the money of said Godfrey, and the supreme court said she was not. The learned judge laid it down as a fundamental principle of law that husband and wife are one and the same matrimonial entity in the sight of the law and that as a man cannot steal from himself so neither can the wife steal from the husband, being one with him, as he is one with her. So his honor gave verdict in favor of Penelope and mulcted Godfrey for the costs of litigation.

If the court is right—and courts, of course, are always right—Godfrey still has the money, since the husband and wife are de jure et de facto one and the same person. Thus it follows that while Penelope, being the wife, cribbed from Godfrey, being the husband Godfrey was really cribbing from himself, and Penelope really paid the costs, for logic is logic as the Maine court has laid it down.

Pure Food Law Sustained.

There are special timeliness and significance in the late decision of the federal supreme court in sustaining the pure food law of the state of Missouri in view of the manifest determination of congress to take the question of food regulation out of the hands of the states, so far as interstate commerce is concerned, and vest it in federal commissioners acting under direction of the department of agriculture.

The Missouri case was that of a manufacturer of baking powder in St. Louis who was found guilty of using alum in his product in violation of the pure food law. He was tried, convicted and fined \$100. The case was taken to the supreme court, and that tribunal, without going into the merits of the controversy concerning the use of alum in baking powders, affirmed the constitutionality of the statute.

The question of the wholesomeness or unwholesomeness of alum as an ingredient of baking powder has been the storm center of a controversy that has

raged among chemists and dietetic experts for years. The longer it rages the sharper becomes the conflict of opinion and the more insistent and positive become the antagonists who hold opposing views upon the question. When the Missouri legislature enacted a law, however, under which alum is classified as an unwholesome food ingredient, it was regarded as a radical step in state food legislation.

Without going into the question of the unwholesomeness or otherwise of alum or any other substance, the federal court practically affirms the right of a state to make and enforce any regulations it may see fit for the manufacture of food or food substances within the boundaries of the state, leaving the question as to the merits of any substance placed under the ban to the judgment of the legally constituted dietetic authorities.

With Great Britain, Germany, Italy, Spain and Belgium all besieging Venezuela for the payment of claims, France pressing a claim against Peru and the United States interested in collecting a debt against Korea, it would appear that what the world most needs just now is an international debt collecting agency in connection with The Hague tribunal.

It is said that the new automobile purchased by the shah of Persia is the slowest machine ever manufactured. The shah probably figured that even he would have to go slow about introducing such things as automobiles in the land of Omar.

"Rich gifts wax poor when givers prove unkind," as Ophelia remarked when she returned Hamlet's remembrances. Which reminds us that it is better to be kind than to be generous.

Clerical Boycott Against Divorcees.

A new phase of the antidivorce crusade has made its appearance in Washington, the Protestant ministers in the Capital City having joined in a combine, otherwise called a boycott, against divorced persons who are bent on another venture in matrimony. As the Roman Catholic clergy are bound by their church laws not to administer the sacrament of marriage to divorced persons, it is obvious that the boycott will be a very effective one so far as the Washington clergy are concerned. The enforcement of the boycott is also favored by the new law, which provides that marriage licenses shall be issued direct to the officiating clergyman.

While it is true that divorcees who are anxious to remarry will have recourse to justices of the peace and other civil functionaries or may seek the benefit of clergy outside the District of Columbia, the action of the clergy amounts to a ban of both Protestant and Catholic churches upon the remarriage of divorcees in Washington, and its influence upon the rest of the country will doubtless be far-reaching.

This, however, hardly strikes at the root of an apparently growing evil in this country. What is needed is a uniform code of marriage and divorce laws applying to all the states of the Union, followed by the rigid enforcement of such laws.

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chester entered upon its corporate existence.

Lyceum Hall was engaged, and the Winchester Unitarian Society held its first religious service on Sunday, December 3, 1866, one hundred persons being present. A Sunday school was formed in the afternoon, with Charles J. Bishop as its superintendent, and fifty scholars came together as the nucleus of the present school.

The pulpit for the first six months was occupied by different clergymen. At a special meeting of the society, May 18, 1866, it was voted to invite the Rev. Richard Metcalf, of Providence, R. I., to become the pastor. The call was accepted, and on June 14, 1866, he was duly installed. The order of services was as follows:



FREDERICK WINSOR.

Introductory prayer by the Rev. Eli Fay, of Woburn; reading from the Scriptures by the Rev. John M. Marsters, of North Cambridge; original hymn by the Rev. S. G. Bulfinch, D. D., of Cambridge; sermon by the Rev. James Freeman Clarke, D. D., of Boston; installing prayer by the Rev. L. J. Livermore, of Lexington; charge by the Rev. Rufus Ellis, D. D., of Boston; right hand of fellowship by the Rev. H. C. Badger, of Cambridgeport; address to the people by the Rev. S. R. Calthrop, of Roxbury; concluding prayer by the Rev. Thomas J. Mumford of Dorchester; benediction by the pastor.

The anniversary of this occasion was observed every year for fifteen years by a social gathering in the vestries of the church, when pastor and people came together, and rejoiced in the bond of union which had been formed.

On June 26, 1866, William Everett, a son of Edward Everett, then a resident of the town, and a



ALEXIS H. FIELD.

worshipper in the church, presented the society with a set of communion vessels, consisting of four goblets, two plates, and a tankard.

After occupying Lyceum Hall for several years it was found to be insufficient for the purposes of the society, and in 1869 the incipient steps were taken toward the purchase of land and the erection of a house of worship.

In furtherance of this purpose it was deemed necessary to newly organize the society, and the following was issued:

To George P. Brown, Esquire, of Winchester, one of the Justices of the Peace for the County of Middlesex:

The undersigned, together with others, our associates, now acting under the name of the Winchester Unitarian Society, proposing to build a house of public worship in the town of Winchester in the county aforesaid, and being desirous to organize as, and become, a corpo-



GEORGE W. SPURR.

ration, request you to issue your warrant directed to some one of their number requiring him to warn the persons proposing to build said house of public worship to meet at such time and place as may be appointed in said warrant for the following purposes, namely:

1st. To organize and become an incorporated religious society according to the provisions of the 30th chapter of the General Statutes of Massachusetts under the name of the Winchester Unitarian Society.

2d. To choose all the necessary and proper officers.

3d. To adopt a constitution and By-laws.

4th. To take such action in regard to building said house of public worship and the acquisition of a piece of land therefor as may be requisite.

5th. To transact such other business as may legally come before them.

Charles P. Curtis,  
John B. Winslow,  
Josiah F. Stone,  
Edwin A. Wadleigh,  
Frederick Winsor,  
Oliver L. Wellington,  
F. W. Perry.

And thereupon, the following warrant was issued:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, S. S. [L. S.]  
To Charles P. Curtis, of Winchester, in said county:

"You are hereby required to warn your associates now acting



THOMAS P. AYER.

under the name of the Winchester Unitarian Society, proposing to build a house of public worship in said town, to meet in the Lower Hall of the Lyceum Building in said town on Thursday, the twenty-second day of April, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the following purposes, viz: 1st. To organize as, and become, an incorporated Religious Society according to the provisions of the 30th chapter of the General Statutes of Massachusetts under the name of the Winchester Unitarian Society. 2nd. To choose all necessary and proper officers. 3rd. To adopt a constitution and by-laws.

4th. To take such action in reference to the building of said house of public worship and the acquisition of a piece of land therefor as may be requisite.

5th. To transact such other business as may legally come before them.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting an attested copy thereof on the outer door of the meeting-house now used by you and your associates under the name of the Winchester Unitarian Society, seven days at least before said meeting, making due return to me of your doing in the premises.

Dated at Winchester this thirtieth day of April, A. D. 1869.

GEORGE P. BROWN,  
Justice of the Peace.

Middlesex, S. S.

I, Charles P. Curtis, on oath depose that I have served the foregoing warrant in the manner therein directed, namely, on the fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1869.

CHARLES P. CURTIS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22d day of April, A. D. 1869.

GEORGE P. BROWN,  
Justice of the Peace.

In pursuance of the foregoing warrant the associates for the building of a house of public worship in Winchester and for organizing an incorporated religious society met at the time and place appointed in said warrant, at which meeting all the parties subscribed the application aforesaid, together with fifty and upward of their associates, were present.

The meeting was called to order by George P. Brown, Esq., the justice of the peace, who issued the aforesaid warrant; and after the application, the warrant, and the return thereon had been read, it was voted to proceed to the choice of a clerk by ballot, and Charles P. Curtis was elected and sworn by the said justices of the peace as clerk. Thomas P. Ayer was chosen moderator. A new code of by-laws was adopted. Edward Shattuck was chosen treasurer, and John B. Winslow, F. W. Perry, Frederick Winsor, S. W. Twombly, and L. R. Synames, standing committee in connection with the clerk and treasurer.



GEORGE P. BROWN.

Voted, That all the doings of the society heretofore acting under the name of the Winchester Unitarian Society be, and the same are, hereby ratified, confirmed, and adopted by the society as now organized.

Voted, That this society in accordance with the terms of the 28th section of the 30th chapter of the general statutes fix upon the sum of fifty thousand dollars as the value of the real and personal estate which it may hold in addition to its meeting-house.

Thomas P. Ayer and Franklin W. Perry were the building committee. A lot of land pleasantly located on Main street, near the centre of the town, was purchased of Francis Johnson and others in May, 1869. The corner stone of the present church-edifice was laid August 25, 1869, with appropriate ceremonies, in the presence of a large gathering. A writer at the time thus alludes to the occasion:

"The whole service had a cosy, family look. The singing was done chiefly by the Sunday school, and was very beautiful and appropriate, like most occasions in that Winchester society. The scholars stood in one corner around the organ, the older people sat on the banks, the walls, or wherever they could find a stick or timber, and the babies that could stand up



WILLIAM PRATT.

alone were trotting around near the minister without being a bit in awe of him. All seemed interested in what was going on, because not merely the men, but nearly every woman and child has given something toward the building."

Thursday evening March 17, 1870, the meeting-house was dedicated to its sacred uses. The services were of a simple character, and were begun by the Sunday school children singing a hymn, after which the chairman of the building committee made an address and delivered the key of the house to the chairman of the standing committee, who made a proper response. Next followed an appropriate sermon by the pastor, after which select passages of Scripture were read by the minister and congregation alternately and the services were concluded by singing a doxology. The architect of the building was Thomas W. Silloway of Boston. The house is forty-six feet wide in front and forty-two in the rear, the extreme length being eighty-one feet. A tower on the front right-hand corner is one hundred and ten feet high. The auditorium contains seventy-two pews, with seats for 380 persons and room in the gallery for fourteen pews. The cost of the land, building, and furniture was about \$23,000, most of which was met by the generous contributions of members and friends of the society here and elsewhere. Among the subscriptions outside of the limits of the town were one of \$1,000 from Alexander Moseley, and another of like amount from J. B. Winn, of Woburn.

At a meeting of the standing committee, Jan. 4, 1871, a letter was read from C. P. Curtis resigning the position of clerk of the society, which he had filled since the organization of the society nearly six years previously, on account of removal from town. At the next annual meeting of the society (1871) Thomas P. Ayer was chosen clerk, and continued to hold this office ten years, when he declined a re-election, and was succeeded by D. Nelson Skillings, who served three years, and he, in 1884, by E. A. Wadleigh, the present incumbent of the office. The first treasurer was Dr. F. Winsor, who served one year, followed by Edward Shattuck who served four years, Edwin A. Wadleigh twelve years, and Wm. Webb, the present incumbent of the office, who has held it three years. Two members of the present standing committee (Winsor and Shattuck) have been members of its since the society was organized. The officers of the society at the present time are Edwin A. Wadleigh, clerk; Wm. Webb, treasurer; Frederick Winsor, Robert C. Metcalf, Edward Shattuck, D. Nelson Skillings, J. Herbert Dwinell, standing committee in connection

with the clerk and treasurer. Through the liberality of the late Emmons Hamlin, then a member of the society, a large chapel organ was placed in the church in 1873, in an alcove which had been left for that purpose.

THE REV. RICHARD METCALF.

The history of this society would be incomplete without something more than a passing allusion to the beloved pastor who was so long and intimately connected with it, and who spent his last days in its service.

Richard Metcalf, son of Joel and Susannah (Houghton) Metcalf, was born in Providence, R. I., August 19, 1829. He received his early education in the public schools of that city, and had the reputation of great studiousness and fidelity. In 1843, on the establishment of the Providence High school, he entered that school as one of its first members. When two-thirds through his High school course he made up his mind somewhat suddenly to enter college and prepare himself for a professional career. Hardly more than a year remained for going over the ground required in the classics for entering with his class; but so well was that brief time spent that he passed the examinations with the highest honors. He entered Brown University in 1847. His course through college, as his classmates testify, was quite in keeping with this exceptional beginning. He took the highest rank among unusually able competitors from the very beginning. He was not only the first in his class throughout, but was first in each separate study. He was graduated from Brown University in 1851, delivered the Valedictory address at

Commencement with an oration on "The true fruit of scholarship." On his graduation he was offered an important place among the officers of instruction which would have led to a permanent professorship, but he declined having determined to enter the ministerial profession. In 1851, the year of his graduation, he entered the Cambridge Divinity School, and graduating therefrom in 1854, he took charge at once of a young and struggling society at Bath, Maine. Here he was very successful, but ill health obliged him to resign his pulpit in April, 1857, to abandon his profession for an indefinite period, and return to his home in Providence for rest. During this enforced inaction he found useful employment, so for as his strength allowed, in the ministry at large, preaching from time to time to prove whether he might resume his active work again. One year of this interval he spent in Detroit, Michigan, taking charge of the Unitarian pulpit there during the pastor's absence, and winning for himself the attachment of the people almost as though he were their minister. It was in Detroit, that he delivered, for the first time, the lectures afterward given in more elaborate form in Winchester, and published under the well known title of "Letter and Spirit," which has had a wide circulation, and is a volume to which so many of our young people have owed their first clear ideas of the Unitarian faith.

A year later he felt able, or thought himself so, to take charge of a parish again, and was called to Meadville, Pennsylvania, where he was settled January 30, 1860.

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Perhaps it was because everybody was tired out over the protracted sessions of the town meetings, or perhaps it might have been due to the affect of a new set of speakers on Monday evening. At all events, the fourth and last session was a kind of love feast generally. Many were looking for trouble and perhaps for this reason they did not find it. The historic mill pond could not have been more placid than the proceedings of the evening. This was all the more commendable from the fact that it enabled the citizens to take up and pass upon every measure that was worthy of consideration. The annual town meeting for the year 1903 is a thing of the past, for which we all ought to feel duly thankful.

## Protecting Wildwood Cemetery.

One of the most delicate questions that came up for discussion in the town meeting this year was the advisability of buying that strip of Twombly land for the better protection of Wildwood Cemetery. While there was a very remote probability of any real estate speculator ever committing speculative suicide by purchasing this piece of property, it was in the line of sound economy and wise management for the Cemetery Commission to recommend its purchase. The noteworthy point about the discussion of the question was the delicacy and discretion with which it was handled. This was manifest by the tokens of the kindest consideration for the feelings of all concerned. If the maker of the vote could have foreshadowed the temper of the citizens, it would have been the part of discretion to have inserted the restrictive conditions and have shut off all discussion. All is well that ends well. So far as we have learned all parties concerned are satisfied over the outcome after what promised at one time to make no end of hard feeling.

## The Resignation of Mr. Collins, Sub-Master in the High School.

By the resignation of Mr. Ernest L. Collins, a sub-master in the High school, to accept the principalship of the High school in North Brookfield, Mass., our school and community have sustained the loss of a true gentleman and an excellent teacher. During the few years that Mr. Collins has been with us, he has won and kept the respect and esteem of his pupils in a very commendable degree. Admirable as may have been his work in the class room, we take it that he will be remembered longer for the wholesome effect he has had upon the young people under his charge in stimulating their interest in all that pertains to manly and womanly qualities outside of the school room, whether it has been in the line of physical culture, athletics or in that of the more purely social functions. Mr. Collins has felt for some time that as a matter of duty to himself he ought to accept the principalship of a school and thereby place himself in a stronger position to a still further advance in his chosen profession. The pupils, their parents, and numerous friends generally wish him every success in his new field of work.

## The Renurement of Mr. Parkhurst from the Chairmanship of the Committee on Appropriations.

As stated at the adjourned town meeting last Monday evening, the moderator, Mr. Rich, did not appoint Mr. Lewis Parkhurst as a member of the Committee on Appropriations for the coming year for the reason that this gentleman positively declined to have his name used for another term. The thought that he had served for several years in the laborious capacity of chairman and also the arduous cares and responsibilities of his private business doubtless led Mr. Parkhurst to decline further service at the head of this important committee.

Under the leadership of Mr. Parkhurst the recommendations of the committee have been marked by a wise, conservative and broad-

minded policy. It speaks volumes for the judicious work of this committee that its recommendations, embracing a wide range of town matters, have been substantially endorsed by our citizens. The wisdom of having such a committee appointed every year has been attested by its own action. Some have intimated that a committee of this character tends to establish a cut-and-dried sort of policy respecting town matters and also claim that it checks discussion. The last town meeting refutes this idea. If it took four long drawn out meetings to settle town matters this year, how many would it have taken for next year without such a committee. Echo answers that we had better let well enough alone. Our congratulations to the retiring chairman of this committee. The splendid service that he has given to the town has been highly appreciated by every citizen who has the best interests of the community at heart.

Our genial friend, Mr. Joseph J. Todd, has let his dramatic light shine forth so often upon the suburban and local stage that some of his friends had almost forgotten that he could discuss the policy of the cemetery commissioners with such good judgment and eloquence. It must have been a strain upon the gentleman's cerebral tissue to have obtained on this occasion from perpetrating some moss grown joke or inflicting some dialect story upon the town meeting, but "Joe" had something of a grave character to present on Monday evening and hence governed himself with considerable prudence. His speech was easily one of the ablest that was made this year in the three sessions of the annual town meeting.

Deferring action on deciding to locate the new town stable and yard on Winchester place was a wise move. It is not the proper place for it now, although it may have been years ago when the town was small. Such a yard can never be made attractive, and to continue it in full view of all who pass through the town with the clouds of stone dust arising from the crusher would be a regrettable mistake. The stable and yard should have a place outside of the centre where it will not be offensive to the eye and the stone dust damaging to the interior of houses.

We are pleased to state on the authority of the Treasurer of the Winchester Savings Bank, that the only interest the bank has in the failure of M. F. Skinner & Co. is less than \$10,000 and that it will not affect the standing of the bank in any way as its surplus earnings will enable it to meet any possible loss without passing its regular dividends.

The circulation of the STAR reached high water mark last week when nearly 1400 papers were printed. Yet the supply was not equal to the demand. This number is equivalent to a paper for nearly every house in town. This fact accounts for the excellent returns to those who use our advertising columns.

And so the town is to have a friendly suit with the Boston & Northern electric railroad to determine whether the Selectmen have the power to order the railroad to lay paving stones between the tracks. Other cities and towns will watch this suit with much interest.

The citizens Monday evening soon forgot the warning notes of Town Treasurer Spurr. Nevertheless he has performed his duty in calling attention to the rapidly accumulating town debt.

**Winchester Boat Club News.**  
A meeting of the directors of the Winchester Boat Club was held at the club house on Friday night. It was decided to have the house opened the first of April, so far as putting down the floats, etc., was concerned, and to have the formal opening Patriot's Day, April 20th.

J. A. McGeehan has been engaged as steward for the summer, he taking charge June 1st. Until that time someone else will be engaged for the office. Former steward James Morris will not be returned. He will be much missed by his old friends.

Mr. F. S. Tufts has presented the club with two cups, which have been accepted by the directors. Mr. Tufts has expressed a desire that the cups be offered for a paddling and a sailing canoe race. Whether the cups will be open for challenge and what will be the distance over which they will be raced for will be decided by the house committee.

The nominating committee have made the following nominations for the ensuing year: President, J. H. Dwinell; Vice-President, W. D. Richards; Treasurer, C. A. Barrett; Secretary, W. J. Ladd; Directors, J. H. Dwinell, W. D. Richards, G. A. Woods, J. R. Newman, J. W. Russell, Jr., Clifford Talbot, F. Nelson Hawley, E. N. Wills, H. D. Murphy; fleet captain, G. B. Smith.

The annual meeting of the club will be held on April 14th at the club house, when the above officers will be elected. The directors have donated the remaining money necessary for the purchase of the three large pictures of the sailing canoes which were on exhibition last summer in the hall of the boat house, and these pictures will be returned to their places.

**SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP**  
Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.  
"When I had an attack of the grip last winter (the second one) I actually cured myself with one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Frank W. Perry, editor of the Enterprise, Shorville, N. Y. "This is the honest truth, at times I kept from coughing myself to pieces by taking a teaspoonful of this remedy and when the coughing spell would come, on at night I would take a dose and it seemed that in the briefest interval the cough would pass off and I would go to sleep perfectly free from cough and its accompanying pains. To say that the remedy acted as a most agreeable surprise is putting it very mildly. I had no idea that it would or could knock out the grip, simply because I had never tried it for such a purpose. But it did, and it seemed with the second attack of coughing the remedy caused it to not only be of less duration, but the pains were far less severe, and I had not used the contents of one bottle before Mr. Grip had bid me adieu." For sale by Young & Brown.

## COMPARISON OF TOWN APPROPRIATIONS.

RAISED BY TAXATION.		
	1903	1902
Schools	\$27,605 13	\$28,400 00
Addition to school grounds	500 00	
Library	1,500 00	1,500 00
Highways and bridges	14,000 00	18,000 00
Common and public plots	350 00	400 00
Street lights	7,500 00	7,000 00
Shade trees	1,000 00	1,000 00
Police	5,500 00	4,500 00
Cemetery	1,200 00	1,200 00
Fire department	10,700 00	8,550 00
Construction of water works	1,000 00	
Insurance	2,600 00	
Health department	2,750 00	2,000 00
Town Hall	2,000 00	2,700 00
Poor Department	4,000 00	4,000 00
Soldiers' relief	50 00	100 00
Memorial Day	225 00	225 00
July 4th	250 00	
Miscellaneous		3,000 00
Incidentals	4,000 00	4,000 00
Salaries of town officers	4,050 00	3,450 00
Payment of town debt	31,500 00	31,000 00
Interest	7,191 00	6,000 00
	\$128,871 13	\$127,025 00
Abatement of taxes	1,225 94	1,225 94
	\$130,097 07	\$128,250 94
County tax	\$9,239 13	\$9,239 13
State tax	4,507 50	4,507 50
Metropolitan Park tax for 1900, 1901 and 1902		6,107 28
Metropolitan Park tax for 1903	7,500 00	
Metropolitan Sewer tax	7,500 00	6,087 45
	\$158,843 70	\$155,002 30

RAISED BY TRANSFER.		
Abatement of taxes		\$1,500 00
Metropolitan Park tax for 1900, 1901 and 1902		11,771 47
Library	559 17	559 17
Incidentals		500 00
Interest	14,184 00	14,499 29
Schools		500 00
Maintenance of water works	17,394 87	14,600 00
Highways	6,000 00	6,000 00
Cemetery land	1,000 00	
Fire Department	2,500 00	
Water construction	66 83	
	\$44,829 87	\$49,929 93

\*ESTIMATED.  
The matter of new highway stable and land became complicated in town meeting as to matter of location and was referred to a committee. As the building of a new town stable is of immediate necessity, there will probably be a special town meeting to borrow \$16,000 for that purpose, which will make \$144,500 increase of debt for 1903. The engine house matters will probably wait until next year. This year we pay off \$31,500 of the debt. In 1904 we shall have to pay about \$37,500, if there is no other increase of debt than above stated.

BORROWING CAPACITY.		
The borrowing capacity of the town is:		
On water bonds	\$5,000 00	
On new High school house	15,000 00	
On other things in general	72,475 63	
	H. F. J.	

## Ladies' Friendly Sale and Entertainment.

The Directors of the Ladies' Friendly Society held a very successful fair in Metcalf hall, Thursday. The hall was filled with ready purchasers all the afternoon, and the many pretty fancy and useful articles were quickly disposed of. In the evening a fine program of readings and music delighted a large audience. Miss Frances Eaton, reader, and Miss Pauline Syer, singer, being the artists. During the afternoon a dialogue was given named "The Wonder," by Misses Pauline Corey, Bernice Philbrick, Marion Hazelton, Barbara Pratt, James Sanborn, and a Pop Corn Dance by Dorothy Furish, Margie Hall, Estelle Davis, Eleanor Huse, Josephine Woods, Julia Davenport, Bryant Woods and Derby Weston. The children were drilled by Mrs. L. A. Bradbury, and Miss Anna Littlefield presided at the piano. The tables were presided over by the following:

Directors' table, Aprons and Fancy Articles—Mrs. Fred Twombly, Miss Anna Symmes, Mrs. Dr. Eaton, Mrs. R. D. Thompson, Mrs. K. I. Fletcher, Mrs. Stewart Bishop.

Flowers and Plants—Mrs. E. H. Garrett, Mrs. W. H. Goodwin, Mrs. A. H. Richardson, Miss Alice Mason.

Stocks and Handkerchiefs—Mrs. Fred Symmes, Mrs. Irving Symmes, Mrs. D. B. Wheeler, Mrs. Chas. Mills, Miss Alice Russell, Mrs. H. G. Young.

Candy—Mrs. N. Goddard, Mrs. F. A. Preston, Mrs. C. H. Symmes, Mrs. H. A. Goddard.

Cake table—Mrs. Dr. French, Miss Elizabeth Downs, Mrs. F. L. Blendinger, Mrs. G. R. Ferguson.

Lemonade—Mrs. W. E. Cummings, Harold Cummings, Charles Thompson, Leslie Goffe.

Goose grab—Miss Stevens, Miss Helen Ayer, Miss Beatrice Tuck.

Mystery table—Mr. A. H. Richardson, Mr. Harry Wellington, Mr. C. H. Fletcher.

Bundle table—Mrs. G. E. Pratt, Elsie Holcombe.

Ice Cream—Mrs. D. W. Pratt, Mrs. G. E. Pratt, Grace Twombly, Florence Guething, Dora Holman, Margaret Briggs, Caroline Thompson, Rachel Ayer, Clara Mills.

The Shooting Gallery was in charge of the following young men: Roy Pratt, James Newman, Russell Pond, Laurence Symmes.

Mrs. Harry Wellington was treasurer.

## Second Baptist Church Notes.

The Lincoln Sophomore Club held its last meeting at 10 Winchester street. The minutes of the last meeting were read and then business was called for, after which followed an hour in which the evening was spent socially.

The Ladies' Willing Workers' Club held its meeting at 22 Winchester street. The election of officers for the Sunday School took place last Sunday as follows:

Mr. W. M. Hightower, superintendent; Miss E. Luis, assistant, Miss Mary F. Squires, secretary; Miss Charlotte Huhli, assistant; Miss Bertha White, treasurer.

The entertainment and supper given by the Willing Workers' Club was very nicely laid out. The committee has not yet made full report, but so far they have reckoned up \$45 98.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

## Selectmen's Meeting.

March 24, 1903.  
Board met at 7.30 p.m. All present. Records read and approved. Charles T. Fortis and Emmons Hatch were drawn as traverse jurors for the Superior court, civil session at Cambridge, April 6.

Petition was received from Chas. Mills for the layout of Euclid avenue, also from F. L. Ripley for macadamizing Myrtle street and from C. F. A. Currier for the layout of Salem street.

On petition of the School Committee it was voted that the free use of the Town Hall be granted for the evening of April 24.

The Board received the bonds of the Collector, Treasurer and of Wm. K. McIntosh as constable.

Application of Wm. Ernst for peddlers license was referred to the Chief of Police. Junk license was granted to N. Robinson.

The following appointment was made including those printed in the STAR last week: E. D. Fletcher, Town Engineer.

Issued warrants No. 23 for \$840.32 and No. 24 for \$6025.13.

Adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

A. W. ROONEY, Clerk.

## Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's new Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at Grover's drug store.

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March 20, 1903

## A Reorganization Sale

is now going on which should interest EVERY housekeeper who reads this paper. In recently reorganizing this corporation a great deal of stock was taken over at prices so advantageous that we can, FOR THIS SALE, give our customers goods of the BEST QUALITY at the PRICE OF THE CHEAPEST. For example:

## CARPETS

**ROYAL WILTONS.** Hundreds of pieces to be sold out. The assortment is very large. The designs are the finest, and the colors range from self-toned greens, reds, etc., to rich effects in Oriental conceptions. The makes are the well-known Bigelow-Lowell, Whitfalls, and the Crocseley, Southwell and Humphries English goods, together with Tompkins' Scotch Wiltons. Our former price was from \$2.75 to \$5.50 per yard. We have marked them at, per yard, **1.50**

## BODY BRUSSELS.

These most desirable goods have always been our specialty, and the exclusive patterns we have originated for our wholesale and retail are considered the best in this country and are famous for their designs and coloring. But there are some patterns that must be discontinued and closed out altogether. There are fully fifty patterns, containing thousands of yards of Bigelow-Lowell, Whitfall and English goods that have formerly been sold in our retail stock at from \$1.40 to \$2.00 per yard. We shall close them out at, per yard, **95c**

## RUGS

We have the largest and best lighted Rug show room in New England. In connection with our great Reorganization Sale of Carpets we have marked our surplus Rug stock, both foreign and domestic, at prices literally unapproachable. A good single example of many is the following:

**Chiorde Rugs**, about 3 1/2 ft. in modern colors, heavy ingreestons and Cabistans and quite a number of Antiques that are worn and torn. These rugs were formerly marked at from \$10 to \$20 each. We have marked them at, each, **7.50**

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THOS. S. SPURR, Secretary.  
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## TOWN MEETING.

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ered by the street, swamp and brook, there is about 2 1/2 acres of side hill which the Cemetery Commissioners say they do not intend to use, but to purchase it in order that someone else may not acquire it. A petition signed by nearly all the taxpayers in the vicinity of that portion of Wildwood street which would be affected by the purchase, protesting against it, was presented to the committee. As there is apparently no necessity for this expenditure, this committee recommends that no action be taken at present, and that the article be dismissed from the warrant.

DANIEL W. PRATT, Chairman.

M. B. MAY, Clerk.

Action on the report of the Committee was then taken up article by article, the first being

## TOWN STABLE AND YARD.

Mr. F. V. Wooster, in order to bring another location before the citizens moved to amend the vote of the special committee by making the sum for the purchase of land for a town stable \$5000 and that the Thatcher estate on Lake street be purchased as a site. He claimed this land was handy to all parts of the town, away from the business center and that it comprised 85,000 feet and dwelling house. The house could be rented for \$300 a year, there was a ledge on the lot containing 25,000 tons of stone, and he considered the purchase a very economical one for the town. There was an abundance of room for a town stable and yard.

Mr. Pratt said his committee had considered this lot among others, and they preferred the present town yard with the acquisition later of the Sumner Richardson estate on Pleasant street on which the proposed engine house could be erected, and thus have the town land all on one square.

On vote, Mr. Wooster's amendment was lost.

Town Treasurer Spurr at this point called attention to the vast debt the town was piling up, which gave indications of reaching \$500,000, or 10 per cent of the town's valuation.

Selectman Carter had serious objections to utilizing the present yard and buying the Price estate. The location is unfit for the purposes that will be required of it, and is too close to the business center of the town. He objected to paying so high a price for the additional land when other locations more suitable could be purchased for a good deal less. He said the McKean estate on Linden street, owned by Mr. D. W. Kimball, containing 68,000 feet of land, house and sheds, could be purchased at the assessors valuation—\$4200. This land was less than a minute from Main street, and he believed a grave mistake would be made in building the stable on the present town land which was so close to the center.

Mr. D. W. Pratt asked Mr. Carter if a large part of this land was not under water. He replied by saying that this was so to a certain extent at the time of a flood, when a little of it received water. This low land could be used as a dump by the town for the \$1000 worth of dirt taken from the streets each year.

Mr. N. A. Richardson favored keeping the stable where it is. The town is going too steep in spending money, and reminded the citizens of the warning given by Treasurer Spurr.

Mr. J. S. Nowell said the lot spoken of by Mr. Carter was new to him, therefore the citizens should go slow in view of what Mr. Carter has said. He had favored the present yard and the purchase of the Price estate, but he now favored deterring action. The town needs a town dump, and the land suggested by Mr. Carter may be what is wanted.

Mr. Carter said he did not know how the water, sewer and other boards stood in this matter, but it was the unanimous opinion of the Board of Selectmen that the present yard on Winchester place was not a suitable location.

Mr. Parkhurst was interested in Mr. Carter's statement and he believed the location favored by him had many advantages; he therefore urged delay in taking action that the matter might be more fully looked into.

Mr. Alfred S. Hall hoped that action would not be deferred, as the present stable is a disgrace and whatever is done should be done at once.

On motion of Mr. Parkhurst the whole matter was referred back to the special committee, who are to report at the next town meeting.

## THE TOWN'S LIDGE.

After discussion for and against the purchase of this ledge by Messrs. C. E. Redfern, N. A. Richardson, J. F. Holland and F. H. Rand and others, an

amendment offered by Mr. Redfern that the town purchase the ledge was lost by a vote of 66 to 2 and the suggestion offered by the special committee that the article be dismissed from the warrant was carried.

## FIRE ENGINE HOUSE.

Article 19, relating to fire engine house, was dismissed from the warrant, because of the reasons advanced by the committee in their report, given above.

## ROSE HOUSE FOR WEST SIDE.

On motion it was voted to appoint a committee to investigate the matter of establishing a rose house on the west side of the town.

Following is the committee: W. D. Richards, Irving L. Symmes, Louis Baria, Marcus B. May John L. Ayer.

## LAND FOR CEMETERY.

Article 22 was next in order. This was to see if the town would purchase a strip of land adjoining the Wildwood street side of the cemetery. The special committee in their report given above recommended no action be taken. Mr. J. J. Todd of the Cemetery Board dissented from the report of the committee and offered a motion that the town purchase this land. He said the Board had long considered acquiring it. Other people are after it, and it is desired by the Board to preserve the beauty of the cemetery. It is not intended to use this strip of land for burial purposes, only to eliminate all possible danger of undesirable encroachment.

Mr. D. W. Pratt claimed that the land was not needed as there was an abundance now. No person can build nearer the cemetery than 40 feet, which is ample protection. The people living on Wildwood street do not want this land taken. Mr. F. H. Rand opposed the taking of the land as did all living on the street. He had spent considerable money on his place and it was his home and he did not want every time he went to his windows or onto his piazza to be looking into the cemetery. It was not fair to him and would injure his property.

Mr. S. W. Twombly claimed that some persons thought he was forcing his land onto the town. This was not so. He had been offered \$3000 for it by Mr. Maynard, but as he believed it should become a part of the cemetery, he had made the town the first offer for \$2500. If this land was sold to outside parties the trees would be cut down and in all probability cheap houses would be built, and the cemetery thrown open to the constant gaze of people living on Wildwood street. He owned five houses on this street and therefore he would not favor anything that would cause their injury. He stated that he had now given the town a fair warning so that if the land passed into other hands he would not be blamed.

Mr. Fred Joy said that the purchase of this strip of land would open up lots in the present cemetery limits to the value of \$5000. From a business point of view it would be wise to buy the land, and doing so would protect the cemetery and not injure the estates on Wildwood street.

Mr. Todd amended his motion, so that no burials would be permitted on the new land, and when this was done the original motion was passed appropriating \$2500 for the purchase of the land.

## SURFACE DRAINAGE.

On motion of Selectman Chellis, under article 23, \$8000 was voted for the care of surface drainage on Church and Bacon streets. The money is to be raised by notes and bonds of the town bearing interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent.

## NEW BRIDGE ON BACON STREET.

On motion it was voted to raise \$1500 by an issue of the notes and bonds of the town, bearing interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent, for the purpose of building a new bridge over the river on Bacon street. It was stated at the meeting that the County Commissioners and State Park Commissioners would probably contribute toward the erection of a handsome bridge costing about \$3000.

Under the last article in the warrant a motion was presented and carried: "That the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to bring suit against the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company to enforce certain conditions of its grant of location."

Among the conditions in the original franchise was one that the railroad was to give between the tracks when requested to do so by the Selectmen. The railroad, having been asked to pave from the Catholic Church to the center, have declined to do so and this suit is to ascertain if they can be compelled to do so. It is in the nature of a test case.

## COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS.

The Moderator before the close of the meeting announced the following committee appointments:

Appropriations—James A. Berry, James P. Boutwell, John T. Cosgrove, Frank A.

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Cutting, William J. Daly, Howard T. Dickson, James J. Fitzgerald, Alfred S. Hall, Henry Nickerson, Daniel W. Pratt, Charles E. Redfern, Arthur H. Russell, David N. Skillings, Daniel L. Smith, C. E. L. Wingate.

Committee on consolidation of town offices, etc., Ralph Joslin, Wm. C. Newell, Nathan H. Taylor, Joseph I. Todd, Arthur E. Whitney.

The meeting then dissolved at 11 o'clock.

## Mrs. Louisa H. Holland.

After an illness of three years, Mrs. Louisa H. Holland, wife of Mr. Warren J. Holland passed away at her home on Hancock street last Friday afternoon. She was stricken with paralysis three years ago, and when the indications were promising for her recovery, a tumor formed, from the effects of which she was a great sufferer. A short time before her death bronchial pneumonia set in and not having the vitality to withstand this added sickness she passed away.

Mrs. Holland was born in Bradford, Eng., and at an early age came to Nashua, N. H., with her parents, and latter to Lowell where she met her husband. She was a most estimable woman and previous to her sickness was active in many directions. In addition to a husband, she leaves three children, two daughters and one son. Mr. Holland has the sympathy of hosts of friends.

Funeral services were held Monday, Rev. Mr. Newton officiating. The interment was in Wildwood. The display of flowers was beautiful and suggestive of the esteem in which the deceased was held.

## Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Mr. Ivan Flood, of Boston, will speak at the boys' meeting Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Flood was one of the leaders at Camp Durrell last summer. All boys should hear him.

Rev. Henry Norman of Lynn will speak to men at 8 o'clock Sunday. Mr. Norman has been holding meetings at the Bethany Chapel for some weeks back with much success.

The juniors held their monthly social on Wednesday from 5 to 7 o'clock p. m. A very interesting programme was given by the boys and refreshments were served. The annual gymnastic exhibition is now set for April 14 and will be held in the Town Hall. It gives promise of being the best thing of the kind ever given in Winchester.

At concert by the Boston University Male Quartette and the local association. Glee Club is being talked of for April 16 in the association hall.

The Conference of the Third District Woman's Auxiliaries was held Wednesday from 10:15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Lunch was served in the association building by the local auxiliary for ninety visitors. The conference proved a very pleasant and profitable gathering. There were 30 from Somerville, 35 from Cambridge, 1 from Watertown and a good representation from the local auxiliary.

## Stinson—Green.

Mr. William Henry Stinson of this town and Miss Lizzie Seavey Green of Stoneham were united in marriage at the home of the bride, Central street, Stoneham, on Wednesday evening. The ceremony which took place at eight, was performed by Rev. J. W. Suter of this town, two rings being used. The house was tastefully decorated with green ferns and cut flowers and the young couple were married in a bower of green made of southern holly, bitter-sweet and palms.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Fred Green of Lawrence, and wore green silk trimmed with white chiffon. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern and was attended by the maid of honor, Miss Mattie W. Green, who wore pink and white organdie. Mr. Richard E. Stinson, brother of the groom, was best man.

Following the wedding ceremony was a reception, the bride and groom, maid of honor and best man receiving.

Mr. Stinson is the son of Mrs. Nellie M. Stinson, and has resided in this town from infancy. His many friends wish him every happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Stinson will be at home after May 1st at their new home at Myrtle street.

## Rushville, Ind.

MESSRS. ELY BROS.—I have been a great sufferer from catarrh and have feared many things, but found no permanent relief until I found it in Ely's Cream Balm about eight years ago, and we have been fast friends ever since.

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## Lost a Thumb.

While operating a finishing machine at Beggs & Cobbs' Monday morning, Edward Morse of Canal street received painful injuries to his left hand. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital for treatment. The thumb was amputated. The hand was found to be in a crushed condition. Mr. Morse has just recovered from an operation for appendicitis.

## Aftermath Town Meeting Talk

It was surprising at the last session of the town meeting that the clear and concise statement of the town treasurer, in relation to our debt and interest account, did not have the effect it ought to have had upon the tax payers and conservative men of the town. The people of Winchester are certainly very brave in one particular; they are not afraid of debt. When Mr. Hall tried to make a practical application of the treasurer's theory that we should now pay as we go in making appropriations, he was promptly voted down and the little matter of \$4500 for a new Bacon street bridge was put into the "I owe you" account, upon which interest will be paid. Truly the financial strategy of the great Micawber is the foundation of our present town system of finance rather than the principles of Hamilton.

The \$8000 loan for street drainage passed without a word of opposition, because opposition would have been useless. It was all put into several little due bills bearing interest on the principal that we shall not feel paying in this way. "Who's afraid of the Devil?" he catches you, "is the predominant feeling of the voters as they see the debt piling up. When the same voters later feel His Majesty's horns in the shape of tax bills, great will be the fear thereof and many will cry out for abatements in their agony who are very brave now. Ask the assessors who it is that beg for abatements and you will find it is the careless and liberal voter at town meeting who begs for the most let-up in paying his taxes."

The effect of the street drainage loan is simply to increase the annual highway expenditures above the regular large appropriation. There is no more surface drainage from the town roads at present than there ever was and it has always been taken care of by the regular town highwaymen and paid for from the highway account. To start a new account to pay for street drainage, also a new account to pay for insurance on town property without decreasing appropriations which have hitherto taken care of these expenditures, is certainly increasing appropriations, and establishing new ways of getting more money from the taxpayer. There is one saving grace in the vote authorizing the special appropriations for insurance and street drainage; that is the expenditure of the money is optional with the Selectmen and it is to be hoped that they will be conservative in spending it. When private drainage is benefited by street drainage, as it has been at Church street, the beneficiaries should be made to pay their part of the expense or not receive special benefits at cost of the town. All this could have been brought out in debate and proper amendments made to the motion, but those who would like to have said a word on the subject were convinced that it would have only been a waste of time when too much waste of that commodity had taken place already. No decent man likes to talk to no effect and it would have been a waste of words to object in the least to the loan authorized for street drainage, otherwise improperly called "surface drainage," which takes in all the drainage and rainfall in town, on private land as well as public. Of course the town has no right to drain the surface of private land at the expense of the public, therefore "surface drainage" is a misleading title.

Why do I say these things now after town meeting is all over, some one may ask. Last year because I want to go on record in these matters without wasting time in town meeting. The STAR at present has plenty of room to fill up and it is my opinion that all good citizens ought to take a stand in all public matters whether he is in the majority or not. In this little review of a few town meeting matters I am only saying what I would have said at town meeting if it would have saved the people and averted nothing. Now I can ease my conscience and no one is obliged to listen to my talk or read this article unless they wish. "Too much speaking" at town meeting has driven away many a voter who otherwise would have done his duty by voting one way or another. Therefore I now record my opinion on a few public town meeting matters for what it is worth, in the STAR, for future reference.

## ARTHUR E. WHITNEY.

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## SUNDAY SERVICES.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. C. H. Johnson, Pastor. Services at 10.30 a. m. Sunday school at 4 o'clock. Preaching at 7.30 p. m. Special music by the choir. These meetings are very interesting. Every one is invited to attend these services. Prayer meeting on Friday evening at 7.45.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Henry E. Hodge pastor, residence, 61 Washington street. At 10.30 a. m. morning worship, with preaching by the Rev. J. A. McElwain, D.D., pastor evangelist of the Clarendon St. Baptist church, Boston. All seats free. You are cordially invited. Strangers will be heartily welcomed. 12 m. Bible School. General review. Dr. McElwain will speak to the school at the close. 6 p. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting, led by Mr. E. G. Gay. "What the parable of the Good Samaritan teaches us." Dr. McElwain will also speak. 7 p. m. Evening worship, with preaching by Dr. McElwain. Strangers welcome.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY—Rev. John W. Suter, rector. Fifth Sunday in Lent. At 9.45 a. m. Holy Communion. 10.30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon. 12 m. Sunday School. 7 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Wm. I. Lawrence pastor. Residence, 110 Church street. Sunday, 10.30 a. m. Morning service. Pastor's subject, "Joy." 11.30 a. m. Sunday School. Mr. J. Howard Doane will sing a solo. 7 p. m. Evening Service. Pastor's subject, "The Resurrection." Miss Mary Kellogg, violinist, will play. Tuesday, Mr. Lawrence at home, afternoon and evening.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Services in Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Unreality." Sunday School at 11.45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7.45. All are welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. H. P. Rankin, Pastor, residence 15 Myrtle street. At 9.30 a. m. Morning prayer meeting. 10.30 a. m. worship with sermon by the pastor, subject, "The Message of the Cross." A full chorus choir under the direction of Prof. Soule as director and Miss Hattie Snow as organist, will render "The Lost Sheep" by Jordan. 12 m. Sunday School with a review of the lessons of the quarter. 4 p. m. Junior League, addressed by the pastor. 6 p. m. Epworth League. Subject, "Heroes of Africa." Papers will be read by several members of the league and Mr. Lem. Dorr of Woburn will also speak. 7 p. m. Members of the Gospel Ten of Boston University School of Theology will conduct an evangelistic service. There will also be special music. Everyone invited.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. special lenten service with address by the pastor.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Class meeting led by D. H. Ricey.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—D. Augustine Newton, minister. Residence, 130 Main St. Sunday, 10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Theme—"The advancing Life." 12 m. Sunday School. Lesson, "The Quarterly Review." 4 p. m. meeting of the Junior Branch, Y. P. S. C. E. Topic—"Bible teaching about Eating and Drinking." Prov. 23:20-21; 1 Cor. 10:31. 6 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Topic—"A Mission Study of Africa." Ps. 68:29 Isa. 42:3. Leader Mr. Charles F. Proctor. 7 p. m. Vespers Service. The Lexington Congregational Choir will render the vocal musical selections. Pastor's Lenten theme—Common Sins 2: "Evil Speaking." The public is cordially invited to attend.

Wednesday, evening 7.45 p. m. Mid-week meeting for all. Topic—Christ's Self-Surrender, and ours.

Friday, 7 p. m. the Mizzou Circle of King's Daughters will hold a sale of fancy articles, cake, candy, etc. at the vestry and invites the patronage of all friends.

Saturday, 3-5 p. m. the Intermediate Department of the Sunday School will hold a special. All members cordially invited.

This Friday evening Dr. W. T. Greenfell will give his stereopticon lecture at 8 o'clock in the auditorium, upon "Work among the Deep Sea Fishermen upon the Labrador Coast." Collection. The people are invited to attend.

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## THE COLORS OF FISHES.

Some Interesting Facts Given by David Starr Jordan.

Writing on the colors of fishes, in the American Naturalist, David Starr Jordan gives the following interesting facts: "The colors of fishes are in general produced by oil sacs or pigment cells beneath the epidermis or in some cases beneath the scales. Certain metallic shades, silvery blue or iridescent, are produced not by actual pigment, but, as among insects, by the deflection of light from the polished skin or the striated surfaces of the scales. The pigmentary colors may be divided into two general classes—ground coloration and ornamentation or markings. Of these the ground color is most subject to individual or local variation, although usually within narrow limits, while the markings are more subject to change with age or sex. On the other hand, they are more distinctive of the species itself.

"The ground coloration most usual among fishes is protective in its nature. In a majority of fishes the back is olivaceous or gray, either plain or mottled, and the belly white. To birds looking down into the water the back is colored like the water itself or like the bottom below it. To fishes in search of prey from below the belly is colored like the surface of the water or the atmosphere above it. In shallow waters or in rivers the bottom is not uniformly colored. The fish, especially if it be one that swims close to the bottom, is better protected if the olivaceous surface is marked by darker cross streaks and blotches. These give the fish a closer resemblance to weeds about it or to the sand or rocks on which it lies. As a rule, no fish which lies on the bottom is ever uniformly colored. In the open seas, where the water seems very blue, blue colors, and especially metallic shades, take the place of olivaceous gray or green. As we descend into deep water, especially in the warm seas, red pigment takes the place of olive.

## THIS MAN BURNS WATER

Old Inventor Tests a Remarkable Fuel Discovery.

The Williamsport (Pa.) correspondent of the Philadelphia Record recently sent the following to his paper:

The prevailing coal famine has revived the question of using water for fuel, and an inventor of this city announces that he has perfected a device whereby that coveted object may be realized in every household. This man is John A. Montgomery, seventy-eight years old, a warm personal friend of the late Professor Morse and himself an inventor of note. For thirty-five years he has been trying off and on to construct a simple and practical apparatus for separating the two component elements in water and condensing them in the form of combustible gas, and now, he says, he has succeeded. More than that, he has demonstrated the feasibility of his invention.

Having invited a friend to his home the other evening, Mr. Montgomery led him to the sitting room. In the room was a single heating stove. There was no fire in it, but instead a metal tube curled out from under the grate and protruded as high as the stove, terminating in a funnel. Drawing a pailful of water from the kitchen hydrant, the inventor began to pour it by the dipperful into the funnel. A white blaze shot up from the grate, producing intense heat. The water burned perfectly.

So far Mr. Montgomery will give no inkling as to the nature of the device by which this result is obtained. In burning water, or the water gases, no steam is made and no residue left. The water may be supplied from a tank near the stove, or in houses where there is running water a tube may run from the stove to the hydrant.



A new and important use for refined paraffin wax has been discovered by a prominent resident of Ohio, living near Lancaster, who had two trees badly damaged by storm, one being a maple and the other an apple.

In each case, says a writer in Popular Science News, a large limb was broken down from the trunk, but still attached to it. The limbs were propped up and fastened securely with straps, very much as a broken leg might be fastened with splints, and then melted refined wax poured into and over all the cracks. The surgical operation was entirely successful. The paraffin prevented the escape of the sap, kept out the rain and moisture which would have rotted the trees, prevented the depredations of insects and the limbs seem to be reattached to the trees.

**Our Forest Reserves.**  
The total area of all the forest reserves is now 58,550,925 acres. It is interesting to note that the total area of the United States, exclusive of island possessions, is 2,302,900,000 acres. Thus it will be seen that the forest reserves now amount to about one-fourth of the entire area of the United States. In square miles the area of the reserves is 91,954, or almost twice the size of Pennsylvania.

**The Best Poison Ivy Antidote.**  
The best thing to relieve the intense pain caused by poison ivy is to apply cloths wet with hamamelis. The poison of the ivy is due to an oily fluid which spreads over the skin and causes the irritation. F. Schuyler Matthews speaks in one of his books of seeing the ivy growing in close proximity to the witch hazel, from which hamamelis is manufactured. Thus the poison and one of its antidotes were neighbors.

## ROUNDOUT JUSTICE.

Natural Rights Denied to Women by the Law's Inequality.

Women are continually reminded when they ask for the right of suffrage that they do not need it; that any injustice in the laws can be righted through their influence. This may be true, but the indirect method is needlessly long and hard. If women were forbidden to use the direct route by rail across the continent and complained of the injustice, it would be no answer to tell them that it is possible to get from New York to San Francisco by going around Cape Horn.

The slowness with which some of the worst inequalities in the laws are corrected shows the unsatisfactoriness of the indirect way. In most states a married woman has literally no legal rights over her own children so long as she and her husband live together. Here is a case which actually happened and which might happen today in thirty-three out of the forty-five states of the Union:

A Chinaman had married a respectable Irishwoman. When their first baby was three days old, the husband gave it to his brother to be taken away to China and brought up there. The mother, through the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, appealed to the courts, but the judge promptly decided that the husband was within his rights. He was the sole owner of the baby; he had the sole legal right to say what should be done with it. For more than half a century the suffragists of the United States have been trying to secure legislation making the father and mother joint guardians of their children by law, as they are by nature, but thus far the equal guardianship law has been obtained in only twelve states out of the forty-five. Massachusetts got it last year after fifty-five years of effort by Massachusetts women. In Colorado, after women were given the right to vote, the very next legislature passed an equal guardianship law.

In Massachusetts the State Federation of Women's Clubs, the Woman's Relief Corps, the state W. C. T. U., the Children's Friend society and sixty-four other associations united in asking for the bill. The only society of women that has ever ranged itself definitely on the wrong side of this question is the Massachusetts Association Opposed to the Further Extension of Suffrage to Women. It circulated for years under its official imprimatur a leaflet in defense of the old law which gave the husband the sole control of the children.

Last year in Massachusetts the laws of inheritance between husband and wife were made equal, but it had taken more than half a century of work to secure this self-evidently just measure. The experience in other states has been similar. The roundabout way is almost always long and slow.—Woman's Journal.

## TOO MANY VOTERS?

The Remedy Lies in Raising the Average Quality.

In trying to find some excuse for the continued disfranchisement of women some of the opposers claim that we already have too many voters.

This only means that we have too many voters of the wrong kind. If to increase the number of voters were an evil in itself, every woman who becomes the mother of half a dozen sons would have done harm to her country. But if all six grow up to be good voters she has conferred a benefit on her country. So she has if five of them become good voters and only one a bad voter. Woman suffrage would bring in at least five good voters to one bad one.

It is often said that we have too many immigrants. We mean too many immigrants of an undesirable kind. We all rejoice when we hear of a large influx from Finland or some other country whose people are considered especially desirable immigrants. We want them to offset those of less virtuous and law abiding races. The governor of one of the enfranchised states writes of woman suffrage, "The effect of this increase in the vote is the same as if a large and eminently respectable class of citizens had immigrated here."

**Colorado's Woman Legislator.**  
It has been prophesied that if women had the ballot they would be treated with rudeness in times of political excitement. Much excitement prevails in the Colorado legislature, but the only woman member has received nothing but civility from both sides. The Boston Herald, which is opposed to woman suffrage, says: "She has been treated with signal courtesy by her fellow members, and it may be that her presence has put some restraint upon them. She is a Democrat. Her party associates gallantly delegated to her the duty of nominating Senator Teller for re-election, and she is reported to have done it with grace." No; whether we believe in equal suffrage or not, the fear that good women would be treated with rudeness if they had the ballot is a libel upon the men of America.

ETHEL C. AVERY.

## Why Women May Not Vote.

The chief consideration for a man to vote is whether he is insane, criminal or an idiot and is twenty-one years old. But when he discusses the franchise for women you would think that he kept vigils in the church, purified his conscience, spent weeks of fasting as the time to drop in a little bit of paper arrived and had gone before an examining board to prove his worthiness to indulge in his high prerogative. But he is afraid of the woman's vote for just cause. When she votes, the low politician and demagogue will have an electric current turned on some of his ways that are dark and tricks that are vain.

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Time Table.

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave Lowell for Tewksbury, Wilmington, No. Woburn, Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 6.15 a. m., then every half hour until 10.15 p. m., then \*10.45, \*11.15 p. m.

Leave Wilmington for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 6.52, 7.22 a. m., then every half hour until 10.52 p. m., \*11.22, \*11.52 p. m.

Leave North Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 5.34, 5.49 (Winchester only), 6.04, 6.19, 6.34, 6.49, 7.04, 7.19 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 9.34 a. m., then 10.04, and every half hour until 1.04, then 1.19 p. m., then every 15 minutes until 7.19 p. m., then 7.34, and every half hour until 10.14, 11.19 p. m.

Leave Woburn centre for Winchester and Medford at 5.45, 6 (Winchester only), 6.15, and every 15 minutes until 9.30 a. m., then 9.45 a. m., then every half hour until 1.15, then 1.30 p. m., then every 15 minutes until 7.30 p. m., then 7.45 p. m., and every half hour until 10.45, then 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Medford at 6.30, 6.45 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10 a. m., then every half hour until 1.30 p. m., then 1.45, then every 15 minutes until 8, then 8.30, then every half hour until 11, then 11.45 p. m.

RETURNING.  
Leave Medford square for Winchester, Woburn and No. Woburn at 6.15, 6.45, 7, then every 15 minutes until 10 a. m., then 10.15 a. m., then every half hour until 1.45, then 2 p. m., then every 15 minutes until 8 p. m., then 8.15, then every half hour until 11.15, then 12 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7, then every 15 minutes until 10.15, then 10.30 a. m., then every half hour until 2 p. m., then 2.15, then every 15 minutes until 8.15, then 8.30, then every half hour until 11.30, then 12.15 a. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 6.30 a. m., then every half hour until 10 p. m.

SUNDAYS.  
Leave Lowell for Tewksbury, Wilmington, No. Woburn, Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 7.52, 8.22 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.52, \*11.22, \*11.52 p. m.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 6.34 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 1.04 p. m., then 1.19, then every 15 minutes until 8.49, then 9.04, then every 30 minutes until 10.34, then 11.19 p. m.

Leave Woburn centre for Winchester and Medford at 6.45, and every 30 minutes until 1.15 p. m., then 1.30, and every 15 minutes until 9.15 p. m., then 9.45, and every 30 minutes until 10.45, then 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Medford at 7 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 1.30 p. m., then 1.45, then every 15 minutes until 10, then 10.30, then every 30 minutes until 11, then 11.45 p. m.

RETURNING.  
Leave Medford square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 1.45 p. m., then 2, then every 15 minutes until 9.45, then 10.15, then every 30 minutes until 11.15, then 12 p. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Woburn and North Woburn at 7.30 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 2 p. m., then 2.15, then every 15 minutes until 9.45, then 10, then every half hour until 11.30 p. m., then 12.15 a. m.

Leave Winchester centre for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10 p. m.

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Leave Central Square, Stoneham, for Winchester and Arlington at 5.20, \*5.50 \*6.20, \*6.50, then \*7.35, 8.05 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.35 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington at 5.40, \*6.10, \*6.40, \*7.10, then \*7.55, 8.25 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.55 p. m.

RETURNING.  
Leave Arlington for Winchester at 6.00, \*6.30, \*7.00, \*7.30, then \*8.15, 8.45 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.45 p. m., then 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, \*6.50, \*7.20, \*7.50, then \*8.35, 9.05 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.05 p. m., then 11.45 p. m.

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Winter Arrangement, Oct. 13, 1902.

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Newsy Paragraphs.

This Saturday Mr. Frank M. White, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parkhurst, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith, Miss Bertha L. Smith and Master Smith, Miss Marjorie Dutch, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Ayer will sail for the old country.

People who patronize the Arlington-Winchester electric believe that those cars should be run without change to Sullivan square. It can be only a question of time when all the suburban cars will connect with the elevated cars.

The handsome electric cars that are being placed on the local electric railroads are so sumptuous as to almost make a person give up the desire for walking.

Mr. Edmund Sanderson attempted to get onto the rear platform of a rapidly moving electric car on Pleasant street last Friday evening and missing his footing, was thrown to the street. He luckily escaped being injured.

The scrub apple trees close to Wedgemere station have been removed. This will give the station a handsome lawn.

Supt. Spates is giving the streets a thorough spring cleaning. New work on streets will not be undertaken until all danger of freezing is past.

Mr. Frank E. Barnard is a member of the new law firm of Dewey, Paul & Barnard of Boston. This firm with the prestige of ex-Judge Henry S. Dewey has a promising future.

Mr. Fred Venot played in a pool tournament at Woburn last week.

Sometimes we wonder how it is that any person desiring publicity for his business or any other purpose can resist from coming into the STAR advertising columns.

At the vesper service in the Congregational church Sunday evening, the choir from the Hancock Congregational church Lexington will render the music.

The Second Baptist Church had their grand entertainment last Friday evening which concluded with a chicken and turkey supper of which there was plenty. Ice cream and cake were for sale and everybody had a fine time. The hall was filled with friends and visitors.

The society is glad to let its many friends know that it made at the entertainment, after paying all expenses \$41.85. This money will be paid on the lot on Winchester street to be used for a new church building.

The Mizpah Circle of Kings' Daughters is to hold a sale of fancy articles, cake, candy, preserves, etc., April 7.

The Knights of Columbus are arranging for a pleasant dance on April 16.

The members of the Wedgemere Base Ball Club are to have new uniforms. Many match games are being arranged.

Following are the new officers of the Mizpah Circle of Kings' Daughters: Miss Helen Munroe, president; Miss Isabelle Anderson, vice president; Miss Viola Sullivan, secretary; Miss Margaret Powers, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Wallis, of Winchester, are enjoying a pleasant month's trip to the island of Bermuda, and are expected to return early in April. Mr. Wallis was formerly connected with our Wakefield gas and electric plant, before the days of municipal ownership, and is now general manager and treasurer of the Woburn Light, Heat and Power company.—[Wakefield Citizen and Banner.

The West Medford Congregational Church Society, whose church building was recently destroyed by fire, has voted unanimously to erect a new church, home on the lot of land given by Deacon Henry L. Barnes at Allston and High streets.

Arlington has recently been stirred by the inhuman actions of some unknown man, whose keenest delight appears to be to chop off the tails of pet cats close to their bodies. Already more than twenty-five cats have been wantonly mutilated.

Thursday was the 150th anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Thompson.—Count Rumford. The anniversary was appropriately observed by the Rumford Historical Society of Woburn.

Mrs. William Richardson of Washington street, who was in the hospital, but who is now home is feeling much better. She went out to ride with her husband for the first time Tuesday.

Mr. Chase the station master of the Highland station, has hired the rooms of the station, and with his family will move in the first of April.

Mr. Frank Rowe, formerly of this town, who has been very sick with tonsillitis is now convalescing. He is boarding his family on a farm. His little son, Preston, who has been sick is growing quite strong. Farm life agrees with him.

The Richardson house on Washington street is being repaired and will be soon occupied by Mrs. Mills who lived there formerly.

Mr. Dillen of Somerville has bought the Lunden house on Allen street and has moved into it.

Mr. Preston Pond has purchased a brown cow driving horse.

Mr. Henry Barkin just missed by a few minutes taking the steamer Plymouth last week on her eventful trip.

Mrs. Merton Swan of Washington street is contemplating a trip to Europe.

Mr. John F. Dawling of Water street and Mr. James Butterworth of Main street will take a trip to the old country in June.

"Force," a ready-to-serve, ready-to-digest, delightful food, brings the independent strength that comes of health.

In the absence of Mr. Lewis Parkhurst who sails for Europe this Saturday, Mr. Daniel B. Badger has been elected chairman of the committee on the new High school.

That the use of the Manchester Field is appreciated by the boys of the town is shown by the fact that from forty to fifty of the "Young America" are playing base ball there nearly every afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Wiade have reached St. Augustine, Fla. They leave in a few days for Spring Hill, Ala. They are in good health and enjoying a pleasant time.

Mr. Alex Macdonald nearly lost one of his horses last Friday night from strangulation.

Mr. Emanuel Powell, the oldest colored man in town died on the 18th. He leaves a widow, four daughters and three sons. Mr. Powell was born in Virginia, was a large land owner and carried on a large business.

Chairs and card tables to rent. Apply at Kelley & Hawes.

Diamonds and other gems supplied, or reset. Geo. A. Barron, 3 Winter street, Room 22, Boston.

Newsy Paragraphs.

Dr. W. T. Grenfell will give his exceedingly interesting lecture entitled, "Among the Deep Sea Fishermen of Labrador" on this Friday evening March 27 at eight o'clock in the Congregational Church. The lecture will be illustrated by a large number of very fine views of the coast, of the people, of icebergs and of Esquimaux. It has awakened a new and deep interest in this little known land and people, among the various denominations to whom the lecture has been given. This is an unexpected opportunity for the people of Winchester to hear Dr. Grenfell.

Police Officer Dotten has the first copy of the STAR run off the press when it was first established in Winchester. He also secured the first copy last week that passed through the new press and folder.

Mr. O. C. Sanborn of Church street has built a duck pond on his estate. It attracts a great deal of attention from all passing that way.

Last Sunday afternoon travel came to a dead stop for about two hours on the Arlington-Winchester line of electric cars because of a short piece of rail spreading at the corner of church and Cambridge streets. This piece of rail had been in bad condition for a month past.

Passengers of this side of the town were brought back to the centre where a fresh start was made for destinations either by the steam cars or the Woburn road. Those passengers in Arlington who got caught, had a long and dreary wait before the cars commenced running again.

A gentleman visited the STAR office Tuesday in search of a back number of the STAR containing an article describing the location of the original Baldwin apple tree. There seems to be doubt just where the exact spot was where the tree grew and it was to assist in settling this question that the article printed long ago was desired by him.

Miss Marjorie Dutch will go abroad on Saturday, being one of the Winchester party sailing on the Commonwealth.

Miss Dutch will meet her brother, Mr. Herbert Dutch at Naples, and they will go to Greece.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burton Newton, (Miss Elsie Norman, formerly of Winchester, but now of Chicago,) are the parents of a son of ten pounds, born March 19. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. Sarah J. Corey of Northboro is visiting her nephew Mr. James E. Corey.

The Knights of Sherwood Forest have completed all arrangements for a pleasant dance on April 16.

District Deputy Joseph J. Todd and the following suite made an official visitation to Paul Revere Council, 1149, Royal Arcanum, at Beachmont, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Pratt, Miss Adams, H. A. Hatch and Fred A. Parsley who was the grand guide.

There is a good prospect that the town stable will be located outside the centre, for which all the business men in the centre are glad.

Miss Elsie Sanderson, formerly of this town, was married in New York last week.

The High School is not represented in the Suburban Base Ball League. Nevertheless we look for many interesting games on Manchester Field this season.

"A Box of Monkeys" April 22 Metcalf Hall.

Mr. Benjamin T. Morgan has as a guest his brother.

Mrs. Albert Powers and family have gone to join Mr. Powers who is in Jacksonville, Fla.

The reason for Mr. Irving L. Symmes not being appointed inspector of wires by the Selectmen was because he declined on account of business reasons.

Questionable politics has had a set back in Stoneham. Two of the three members of the new Board of Selectmen in order, evidently to carry out a pledge made before the election, dropped the Chief of Police, who was a most faithful officer and elected a new man. The people then took a hand in the game and forced the return to office of the old chief, through a reconsideration of the vote previously passed—one of the Selectmen who voted for the new man changing his vote to meet public opinion. There is a great deal done in Winchester that we are proud of.

Miss Bailey has a complete stock of millinery now at her parlors 26 Pleasant street, opening to which all are cordially invited April 6, 7, 8.

The Rev. J. A. McElwain, D. D., of the Clarendon street Baptist Church Boston, will preach at the First Baptist church next Sunday.

It remains for Robert I. Adriance to take one of the highest honors that has ever been attained by a graduate of our High school. According to recent reports, Mr. Adriance stands first man in his freshman class of two hundred and thirty members at Dartmouth College.

"A Box of Monkeys" April 22 Metcalf Hall.

At the recent dinner of the Senior class of the Phillips Andover Academy, held in Boston at Young's Hotel, one of the brightest and wittiest speeches was made by Robert W. Fernald in response to the toast to the school paper, "The Philistine."

This afternoon Mr. F. Schyler Matthews of Boston gave an address to the ladies at the Calumet Club on "Song Birds and Music." After the lecture tea was served by Mrs. S. W. McCall and Mrs. G. A. Fernald. This being "Guest Day" there was large attendance. It has been decided to make this the last of the regular Ladies' Afternoons for the winter, although there will be other entertainments later including the Children's Afternoon, which will be of special interest to the ladies, and the Club House will be open as usual on Friday afternoons for those who may care to use it.

Mr. Joseph J. Todd, and no doubt his brother members of the Cemetery Commission, feel elated over the vote of the citizens Monday evening in agreeing to buy that strip of land adjoining the cemetery. The town will be found, as time passes, to be the most considerate owner of the land, both because of its desire to protect the right of the near by residents and also to preserve the beauty of the cemetery.

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Newsy Paragraphs.

Mrs. James W. Russell, Jr., has so much improved from her recent severe illness as to be able to get out for a ride Tuesday. Her many friends were pleased to see her out driving.

Miss Bertha Fisher is to design the poster for "The Box of Monkeys," to be given shortly in Metcalf Hall.

Mr. James H. Hinsdale, Esq., of Pittsfield, in the Berkshires, was the guest of George H. Gilbert, early in the week.

The Carpenters Union held a very pleasant entertainment with dancing at Good Templars Hall, Tuesday evening. Mr. John Polly of Highland avenue took the part of ghost to perfection.

There have been ten snakes killed and 2 wounded, in Miss Ann Bacon's dooryard already, 5 of them were killed the 12th of March, the rest, since. Sad to say only one was killed the 17th.

Miss Mabel Corey, Mr. Wm. C. Corey and T. Price Wilson attended "Harvard Night" at the Newton Club on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Thurston Hall, who has been playing a leading role in "A Poor Relation," will spend his week at home. His season will close April 25th. Thus far he has travelled over 16,000 miles and been in 25 states in the union and two provinces of Canada.

The STAR was frequently complimented this week over the change in the make-up of the paper.

"A Box of Monkeys" April 22 Metcalf Hall.

On Tuesday evening, April 14th, there is to be given a play in Lyceum Hall followed by a dance. The cast consists of Miss May Barta, Miss Mary Kellogg, Miss Alice Hopkins. It is expected that there will be a large attendance, as this is to be for the benefit of the Church of the Epiphany building fund.

Still more books were added to the circulating library this week, making 376 in all. You are missing a good thing if you do not get in this. A. Wm. Rooney, 181 Main street, "The Paper Store."

The Monday class of The Fortnightly will meet with Mrs. C. J. Allen Monday, March 30, at 2.30 p.m. Reading, Macbeth.

A new directory of Winchester will be issued in a few weeks.

A hearing will be held at the State House in room 439, on next Tuesday, at 10.30 o'clock on the petition of John Chellis and others that Winchester may make an additional water loan.

The quartette at the Unitarian Church is to give selections from the Oratorio of Elijah this Sunday morning, including the alto solo "O Rest in the Lord." The anthem "Sweet Galilee" will also be given.

The girl students of Tufts College held an athletic meet in the Goddard gymnasium this week which was largely attended by their feminine friends, no men being admitted except the judges. Two young ladies from Winchester took part, Miss Dorothy M. S. Brown in the class relay race, running for '06, and the Indian club, drill and Miss Gertrude Symmes in the Indian club drill.

Easter afternoon at the four o'clock service at the Unitarian Church the Sunday School will be assisted by the Young Peoples' chorus, also by an orchestra.

Mrs. T. H. Emus of Pleasant street is confined to the house with the gripe and tonsillitis.

Miss Emma Elizabeth Mills, daughter of Mr. Charles Mills, was married at Brighton, March 7, to Cornelius C. J. McDermott of Philadelphia.

There is no change in the condition of Miss Eliza Chaloner who is critically ill at her home on Stevens street.

We have baseball goods at prices that cannot be matched. We are headquarters for everything in the line of athletic goods, including golf, tennis and bicycle sundries. Agent also for Lovell Diamond bicycles, \$20 and \$25. Buy here and save money. A. Wm. Rooney, "The Paper Store," 181 Main street.

More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver or kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia and expels malaria germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by Grover, druggist.

Parish of the Epiphany.

The Guild of St. Cross invite the parish to attend the sale at Mrs. Mead's on Saturday, March 28, from 3 to 6. All useful articles will be found for sale, including handkerchiefs, stocks, ties, candy, cake, etc. The proceeds of the sale are for the Building Fund.

Choir rehearsal this evening at 7. The Epiphany Circle will meet Monday, at 3 in the choir room.

Members of the parish who wish to attend the concert at the Sailor's Haven in Charlestown, (given by the Parish) are asked to meet at the station for the 7.03 train, Monday evening, March 30.

Tuesday, the Ladies' Guild will meet with Mrs. Houghton, Pine street, at 2.30 The Rector will speak on The New Bible. The five o'clock service daily, Saturdays excepted.

Thursday morning at 11, will be the fourth of the talks on "Literature and Faith," at the Rector's.

Easter comes on the 12th of April. A comedieta followed by a musical program and dancing will be given by the young people of the church in Lyceum Hall on Tuesday evening April fourteenth from 8 until 12 o'clock. Tickets may be obtained of the matrons Mrs. W. E. Hopkins, Mrs. Anthony Kelley, Mrs. S. W. McCall, Mrs. J. C. Atwood, Mrs. Louis Barta.

Mrs. Susan N. Pond.

The death occurred Monday of Mrs. Susan N. Pond, mother of Messrs. Handel and Preston Pond and Misses Kate and Caroline Pond, all of this town. Mrs. Pond was in her 77th year, her death occurring at her home on Prospect street. Funeral services were held Wednesday, Rev. D. A. Newton officiating. The interment was in Winwood Cemetery.

It Saved His Leg.

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A. B. Grover is giving away Mi-o-na the greatest dyspepsia cure. The proprietors of Mi-o-na, the great dyspepsia remedy, have made arrangements with A. B. Grover the popular druggist to give away samples of Mi-o-na to those presenting the following coupon at his store.

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A. B. GROVER.

Mi-o-na is the only dyspepsia remedy upon the market that is sold under a positive guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure. A box costs but 50 cents and A. B. Grover will refund the money if it does not do all that is claimed for it. The samples will not last long and every one who has trouble with dyspepsia, indigestion, headache, distress after eating, dizzy feeling or loss of appetite should take this coupon to Grover's store and get two days' treatment of Mi-o-na free. No other medicine could begin to do you so much good in a short time, and it costs you nothing.

Mystic Valley Bowling League.

The Calumet Club lost two games to the Old Belfry Club at Lexington Tuesday night. The deciding game was lost by only one pin, the score being 403-407. Richardson of Calumet was high with 255. The score:

OLD BELFRY.			
Withen	1	2	Total
Nichols	78	72	150
Smith	74	70	144
Givins	82	80	162
Kedman	10	70	80
Totals	410	392	408
CALUMET.			
Littlefield	73	83	156
Philbrick	84	82	166
Huse	70	80	150
Richardson	79	97	176
Farrington	77	80	157
Totals	383	432	407

Basket Ball.

The basket ball season is now ended, and as a result, the basket ball teams of the Winchester Y. M. C. A. stand among the first in the State. The second team has been especially fortunate, losing only two games out of eleven. The following are the games and the scores:

Winchester	Somerville
7	Cambridge
24	Reading
20	Chelsea
40	Woburn
34	Salem
22	Reading
68	Stoneham
32	Chelsea
37	Malden
37	Cambridge

This makes a total of 347 points for Winchester to 125 points for their opponents.

Grip Remedies in Great Demand.

When colds and grip are prevalent the quickest and surest remedies are in great demand. Mr. Joseph D. Williams, of McDuff, Va., says that he was cured of a very deep and lasting attack of la grippe by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy after trying several other preparations with no effect. For sale by Young & Brown.

Still Ahead.

And gaining. Bridges, the American boot maker would announce to our four hundred and the public in general that once more spring is upon us and that it is about time to be looking to see that our feet are properly shod. I have made many more shoes this year than last, and being a little selfish, want many more. I would say to those who are anticipating having a nice pair of boots, that they should come and leave their measure at once, so I can have plenty of time before my busy season commences. Will the ladies note that I make a specialty of their shoes. Troublesome feet a specialty. Lower prices than Boston. We warrant a fine fit from the best of foreign and domestic stock. All the leading styles. Remember the place—BRIDGES, the American boot maker and repairer, 4 Thompson street.

MARRIED.

STINSON—GREEN. At Stoneham, March 25, William Henry Stinson of this town and Lizzie Seaver Green of Stoneham by Rev. J. W. Suter.

SULLIVAN—HORN. March 23, 1903, by Rev. S. Winchester Adriance, at Boston, Mr. William D. Sullivan of Winchester, and Miss Caroline E. Van Horn of Boston.

DIED.

DRESSER—Mrs. Maud Dresser of Providence, R. I., age 30.

HOLLAND. March 20, Louisa H., wife of W. J. Holland, 49 yrs. 8 mos. 15 ds.

POND—Mrs. Susan N. Pond, aged 76.

BENJAMIN B. ODELL, FATHER OF THE GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK STATE, A POWER IN POLITICS.

The Hon. Benjamin B. Odell of Newburgh, N. Y., father of an illustrious family of sons, writes the following letter, which he hopes will be read by every man and woman in America:

"Some years ago my life was fairly made miserable by the pain and distress I suffered from ACUTE INDIGESTION. I was also constipated and run down. This condition continued for about three years. A friend of mine who had suffered in a similar manner, and been much benefited by using DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY, urged me to try it. I finally did, and IT HELPED ME FROM THE FIRST DOSE. AND I CONTINUED ITS USE AND WAS CURED."

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Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the most prompt and efficient medicine known for Kidney, Liver, Bladder and Blood Diseases. Rheumatism, Dyspepsia and Constipation.

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For Park Board.

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A choice corner house lot, about 8000 feet; near McKay and Plymouth Rock Food Companies' shops; on elevated ground; within three minutes walk of Railroad station; price 1-2 cents per foot. For particulars address: P. O. Box 25, Winchester, Mass. mh27.3t

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PIANO. An upright Fischer piano, light mahogany, is practically new, used but very little, and a bargain will be given to the right person. Apply to CHAR. A. LANE. mh27

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Board and room by a young lady. Terms reasonable. Address Star office.

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Tenement of four or five rooms and bath; good neighborhood. Rent not over \$12 per month. Address G. Star office. 1t mh27

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A small tenement near the centre. Three rooms. Rent \$7. Can be seen at 29 Winchester place.